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Mr. and Mrs. David Marsh's Golden Wedding.

As was announced in the PRESS, last Thursday, Sept. 15th, Mr. and Mrs. David Marsh, of Mason Hill, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. The occasion which was the event of that section of the county in many years, was largely attended, about one hundred being in attendance, mostly relatives of Mrs. Marsh, who congregated to do honor to the very respected and loved couple. All that dampened the festive occasion was the fact that Mr. Marsh is losing his eyesight and can scarcely recognize any one near him. All deeply sympathize with him and his affectionate wife in this sad affliction. Although thus afflicted Mr. Marsh is cheerful and enjoyed the occasion as though nothing was ailing him.

After the arrival of the guests and until dinner not much transpired, but hand shaking, visiting and talking over old times, as there were many old-timers present the time was well spent.

A large table was erected in the orchard for the occasion and the table fairly groaned with the weight of good things prepared and was beautifully decorated with flowers. Two large chairs, gifts of the children, were placed at the head of the table for the bride and groom to occupy. The bashful groom and blushing bride were escorted to a position immediately behind the chairs, where a group of relatives and friends were assembled to hear the words spoken by Rev. G. W. Faus. Mr. James Thomas and wife took their places on either side as they did fifty years ago, when the Rev. gentleman, in neat and well chosen words joined them together again, closing with an appropriate prayer. At the close of the ceremony a picture was taken of the bridal party and friends by Miss Emma Marsh, a granddaughter.

Dinner now being ready the large and merry party surrounded the feast. When all tables were filled, "Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow," led by Mrs. O. B anner, was sung when Rev. Faus invoked the blessing of God upon food and people.

After dinner congratulations were heartily extended to bride and groom and for two hours everybody enjoyed themselvss hugely. Old men and old ladies forgot their age and became young again. The Golded Rod was pressed into service and everybody wore a sprig as a bouquet, in honor of the occasion and the gold standard. During the ceremony Mrs. Marsh wore a wreath of Golden Rod.

It would require too much time and space to enumerate the presents. Suffice to say they were numerous and costly, consisting of gold, silver and money of all descriptions, table linen, and may other articles.

Those in attendance, not residents os Mason Hill, we noticed the following:

W. A. Marsh, eldest son, wife and three daughters, Williamsport, Thos. S.Marsh, wife and three children, lives near the old homestead, Mason Hill, Pa.; Delbert, (whose wife died over a year ago) and two sons, West Va.; Wesley W., wife and seven children, Mason Hill, Pa.; and Miss Nellie E., who lives at home to cheer her parents in their declining years, with her cheerful and sunny disposition; Solomon Mix, (attended first wedding); Mrs. Will Mix, son, and two daughters, DuBois, Pa.; James Thomas and wife (both attended first wedding,) T. J. Shaffer, wife and family, Bennezett, Pa.; William Overturff, wife and daughter, Mt. Pleasant, Pa.; D. S. Johnson and wife, Grantonian, Pa.; Mrs. J. R. Russell and son, Medix Run, Pa.; Mrs, Nancy (Mix) Barr, (attended first wedding); Mrs. Martha Lupole, sister of Mrs. M., (attended first wedding); Mrs. Lucy A. Miller, Dents Run, Pa.; J. M. English and wife, Castle Garden, Pa.; Mrs. O. G. Thomson, Driftwood, Pa.; C. J. Miller, Huntley, Pa.; Wesley Barr and wife, Sterling Run, Pa.; Chas. E. Barr, wife and two children, Husted Hill; G. W. Faus, wife and daughter, Mrs. O. L. Bailey, James Barr and Howard Fry, Sinnamahoning. A day of joy for all, with many good wishes and many good days for Mr. and Mrs. Marsh, and may their last days be their best days. J. M. E.

County Institute.

In less than one month the teachers of Cameron County will gather in their annual session in our borough and Miss Collins the efficient superintendent is and has been untiring in her efforts to make this session surpass in assured interest and attractiveness all its predecessors Among the day instructors are the following well known educators: Prof. Darst of Ada University, Ohio; Prof. J. George Becht Principal of the Clarion State Normal School, Prof. Harry Stauffer Principal of the public schools, of Millville, N.J.; Miss Maud Willis of the Lock Haven State Normal school and others for whose services, negotiations are now pending and to be announced later.

The evening attractions, indicated last week, are absolutely unexcelled and the expense incurred in bringing them here is such as to need the most general and generous patronage on the part of the public and is altogether deserving of the same. The Cleveland Woman's orchestra is alone worth the cost of a course ticket and the other numbers, though including a smaller number of people are fully its equal in all that constitutes artistic excellence. The teachers of town will make an early canvass and we bespeak a liberal patronage.

The October "Smart Set."

The October number of The Smart Set is a veritable mine of brilliant stories and poems. "Moored," by Anna A. Rogers, is the title of the novelette which opens the issue. It is a story full of power and quiet humor, dealing with the temptation which comes to the young wife of a naval officer while he is abroad and she is "moored" at home.

Letters from the People.

All communications under this head must be accompanied by the writer's name. We will not be held responsible for any expression in this department.)—EDITOR.

Elect Mr. Howard.

Editor Press:—

Will you please find space in your paper for a few reasons why Mr. Howard should be elected this fall? He is a good Republican and a high minded, conscientious citizen and will cast his vote, if elected, for the party that has given us a clean and prosperous government for the last four years. It is to the interest of Little Cameron that we send a Republican to the Legislature. Mr. Howard has done a great amount of good work to build up Emporium and Cameron county. His business, a clean and honorable one, has given employment to a large number of men. If elected he would undoubtedly use every honorable means to secure legislation in the interest of this county. For the sake of the home, do not vote for men whose business is selling intoxicating drinks. The whiskey men have too much power now—they have it all their way. For the sake of your wives and little ones, voters of Cameron county, see to it that no drunkard-maker is sent from here to the Legislature. The Bible says that no drunkard shall enter the Kingdom of Heaven, but what of the drunkard-maker? Shall he be elected to the highest offices? God forbid that such men have a chance to make the laws. Let us elect men to office whose business is not selling beer and whiskey—it takes the bread from out your children's mouths. It breaks the mother's heart. We do not need such men in office. Don't vote for them. MOTHER.

Shippen, Pa., Sept- 20, 1904.

A Clean Fling.

MR. EDITOR:—

In commenting upon the nomination of Mr. C. W. Shaffer for Member of Congress, in last week's issue of the Independent, the editor, as usual, attacks the fitness of Hon. S. R. Dresser by saying that Mr. Shaffer is "head and shoulders above the caliber of the Republican nominee."

I do not wish to detract from the character or fitness of Mr. Shaffer, who is well-known to the voters of this county, but wish to say that men are judged by their achievements. Mr. Dresser is pre-eminently a self-made man, an inventor, who by brain and intelligence has become one of the foremost manufacturers of this section of the State. As to his standing, both with his employees and the community in which he lives, I recommend the editor of the Independent to take a trip to Bradford, the home of Mr. Dresser. He has proven himself to be an able, courteous and obliging Congressman, as his increased majority this fall will prove.

CLEAN POLITICS.

Of Historical Interest.

Our townsman, Mr. J. F. Parsons, is the owner of a volume that is full of interest for those who like to delve into the early history of Pennsylvania. This is a Bi-Centennial Memorial of "Justus Falckner, Mystic and Scholar, Devout Pietist in Germany, Hermit on the Wissahickon, Missionary on the Hudson." The work is compiled from original sources by Dr. Julius F. Sachse of the Historical society of Pennsylvania. Dominie Falckner, a student at Halle University, came to Pennsylvania in company with other German Pietists and Mystics in 1694. "He at first withdrew from the world and lived as a recluse in a sheltered dell on the Wissahickon, passing his time in prayer, study and silent contemplation. Thence, urged by the appeals of the Hollandish Lutherans in the valley of the Hudson, who were in dire straits, and the persuasion of the Swedish pastors on the Delaware, he finally consented to be ordained by them to the ministry, according to the Swedish Lutheran ritual, in the venerable landmark on the Delaware, "Gloria Dei," after which be at once assumed charge of the scattered Lutherans in the adjoining colonies." He died at Newburg in 1723. The volume throws much light on many conditions of the early time.

A Lecture at Beechwood.

On Saturday, Sept. 25, at 7:30 p. m., sharp, a lecture on China, Japan, and other Oriental countries, will be delivered at the Beechwood M. E. Church by Mr. Fred Julian, of Emporium.

The lecture will be illustrated by interesting curios from the above named quaint old countries.

Upon his return Mr. Julian gave this lecture in the First Methodist Church; of town, before a large audience and greatly delighted his auditors. All should hear it.

A reasonable fee of admission will be charged, proceeds to go the church.

Bargain in Books.

A complete set of Brittanica Encyclopaedia, consisting of thirty volumes and key. Are all new and in original packages. Will be sold at a bargain, Apply at PRESS office. 36tf

Open Letter from Mr. Josiah Howard.

To the Voters of Cameron County:—

As an humble aspirant to a position in the representative ranks of republican Americans it seems proper that we should follow the example of our National leaders and more fully explain and set forth the position of our party in county affairs.

Our friends, the enemy, like their National brothers, seem without a platform or local party issue. They have been in power some time but have no record of which to boast, except the fact that they have been the beneficiaries of larger salaries and emoluments than any of their predecessors. They can point to no special good they have helped do the farming interests, nor does any bill for the support or development of the manufacturing interests appear on the books to their credit.

The Republican party is proud of her record and to that extent stands "Pat", yet she does not stop there but insists and will ever strive to keep the American people in the front line of civilization and progress; always trying to do a little better than the time before, never crying for "vindication," but pointing to her record of achievements and asking the calm and unbiased judgment of free and intelligent citizens, why immigration always increases when the Republican party is in power? why the down trodden of all Nations come here, not to seek wealth digging in the gold mines, not to seek safety and big wages in strictly Democratic States, but buying tickets straight for the solid Republican States?

Republicanism stands for opportunity in all that is good and progressive, and the foreigner comes here seeking a peaceful home in our most thickly settled communities, feeling sure of a good living and an equal chance for himself and his children to grow great and influential. They are shut out of no opportunity, but are accorded the same good will, the same courtesy in society, the same chance in business and the same right to hold any office save only the Presidency itself. Is it any wonder they continue to come? and is it any wonder the Republican party points with pride to her record of a safe and stable government? and her ability and intention to make the opportunities for peace and progress even more inviting and within easier reach of all our citizens, foreign born or native?

No, the only wonder is that many more of them do not ally themselves to this party of just equality and progress, which has done so much for them; or if they are so "fatuous" (that is so blind or so stubborn as not to fully consider or to understand,) the wonder is that they do not seek homes in the solid Democratic States and there sit down and wait until the Republicans come along and show them how to develop the natural resources which were the birthright of the Democratic inhabitants and which they had allowed to lie idle at their very doors, not knowing how to use them.

The Republican party as a true and loyal part of the American people, points with pride to Washington as a high-minded, conservative and able statesman, soldier and citizen; a leader in the highest paths of patriotism and manhood. The Republican party also points with pride to Lincoln, Grant, Harrison and McKinley, not forgetting Blaine, Garfield and Reed; and the Republican party now points with equal pride to Theodore Roosevelt, the foremost American of his day and the peer of all who have gone before.

Washington was great, but he knew little of the resources of our continent; Washington was broad-minded but he knew nothing of steam or the need of a coaling station on the distant ocean. He knew nothing of telephones or the telegraph, and, of course, could not understand the possibilities of commerce.

China is an exclusive Nation; America is a star of the first magnitude in the sisterhood of civilized peoples, and Roosevelt, the arbitrator, peacemaker and Christian, is the leader of all that is most progressive and stable in our free, intellectual and equitable government, of, for and by the people.

As a chain is no stronger than its weakest link, as a National government depends upon the loyalty and strength of the State government, so our own Commonwealth will shine or wither in proportion to the ability, intelligence and good-will of her individual citizens and their representatives in the legislature.

Local taxation and local enforcement of the law remains in the hands of the people themselves in each respective community; the police and the constable not being representatives of the people but simply sworn sentinels and assistants to the people themselves. State taxation, State regulation, State disbursements of money and the choice of State representation in the National Senate is placed in the hands of Members of the Assembly as Representatives of the people of their respective legislative districts; and the voters of each district not only have the right to know, but each party and its candidate should promptly and fully state his knowledge and understanding of State taxation, and the State's duty of appropriating State money to advance education, to extend the benefits of good roads and to establish and maintain hospitals and homes for the feeble-minded, the sick and helpless members of the Commonwealth. The candidate should also be able to show his capacity to understand the needs and abuses of Banking, Insurance, Transportation and Manufacturing so that he could use his influence, intelligently, for their regulation and expansion. He should also state his position on the Tariff and the question of Sound Money; also, whether he favored the regulation or abolishment of all corporations. Then the voter would be sure that a vote for him would be a vote and an influence for all he considered best in the State government.

Personally, I will state that I am in thorough accord with the plans and purposes of Theodore Roosevelt and his illustrious Cabinet, and earnestly urge his support by all citizens, irrespective of party and I herewith renew my promise to use all my influence to work for Republican principles and to vote for such other particular measures as are set forth in my platform published a few weeks ago.

Respectfully yours,

JOSIAH HOWARD.

Emporium, Pa., Sept. 19th, 1904.

Reduced Rates to the West.

To all points in Montana, Washington, Oregon and British Columbia, September 15th to October 15th, 1904. Write at once for information and maps to W. H. Allen, Traveling Agent, Wisconsin Central R'y, 621 Park Bldg., Pittsburg, Pa. 28 6t

World's Fair Excursions.

Low Rate ten-day coach excursions via Pennsylvania Railroad, September 7, 14, 21, and 28. Rate, $15.95 from Emporium. Train leaves Emporium at 8:10 a. m., connecting with special train from New York arriving St. Louis 4:15 p. m., next day. 3317-28-4t.

Dedication of New Presbyterian Church.

The Presbyterians expect to dedicate new church edifice on next Sabbath as already announced in these columns. The entire Sabbath day will be given up to that work. At 10:30 a. m., there will be a preaching service, the sermon to be delivered by the Rev. John D. Cook, the efficient stated clerk of the Presbytery of Northumberland. In the afternoon at 2 o'clock, there will be held a free, off hand, service of song and other exercises, and short addresses by a number of ministers and others.

In the evening, at 7:30, the Dedicatory Service proper will be held. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. W. T. L. Kiffer, the chairman of important committees in the Presbytery and the Synod of Pennsylvania. After the sermon the keys of the church will be formally delivered to the Board of Trustees by the Building Committee. The statement of the Board of Trustees will be made, offerings will be received and the church solemnly dedicated to God by appropriate religious services.

All are cordially invited to these services. The new sabbath school and lecture room will be seated with chairs for the occasion.

The Presbytery of Northumberland will hold its regular fall meeting in the New Church, beginning on Monday evening following the Sabbath of Dedication, opening with a sermon by the Rev. James E Hutchison, of Danville, Pa There will be much routine business transacted. Many reports of committees heard and acted on, election of commissioners to Synod, report of the committee on Evangelistic work by Hon. Judge Hinckley, of Danville, and addresses on the subject, and popular meetings in the interest of some of the nine great Board of the General Assembly, such as Home Missions, Foreigh Missions, etc. Further announcement of these services will be made from the pulpit on Sabbath day.

It is hoped our town and people all will do their utmost to make it pleasant and agreeable for these guests from out of town.

McInnes Steel Wins.

Corry takes no back seat. A telegram received last evening by the McInness Steel Co., of this city, announces that in competiton with all the steel manufacturers of the world, the McInnes Extra Air Hardening, High Speed Steel, made in Corry, has won over competitors at the St. Louis world's fair.

The test was made on a piece of steel, in a lathe, running at a rate of 100 feet per minute. The tool of McInnes Air Hardening High Speed Steel was reducing the shaft 1½ inches with a feed of 3-16 of an inch. The committee was selected to make the test by all the steel manufacturers of the world. The competition included England, Germany and America with Corry representing America and we won. Alex. McInnes, Sr., originator of the McInnes steels, was present at the test.

This is gratifying news not only for the company specally interested but to this entire community. The prestige which this award carries with it will vastly benefit the manufacturers and incidently this city. The McInnes Steel Co., has been doing business here only a little more than three years but has already established on enviable reputation throughout the country for the quality of their product. The word "quality" expresses in an eminent degree the characteristics of this Corry manufacture. Both the company and the city at large are to be congratulated on their success.—Corry Evening Journal, 16th.

Progressive Journalism.

The references in the Independent of last week with regard to the authorship of certain editorials in the PRESS were as wide of the mark as was its personal attack upon Mr. McNarney, a few weeks ago. In making this statement, the PRESS does not concede the right of the Independent, or any one else, to go behind the responsibility of the management of this paper. It is entirely within the rights of an editor to secure the assistance of other pens in his editorial columns and every well conducted journal avails itself of this right, just as the Independent has always done—the present editor being for years in charge of the political end of the paper, although under cover. We must accept as final the assurance of the Independent editor that he has no assistance. As to his need for an assistant—and also a sensor—his readers are in a better position to pass judgment than he is himself.

Emporium Brick and Coal Company,

Judge Fred H. Aldrich of Detroit, Mich., who is interested in the projected Emporium Brick and Coal Company, arrived in Emporium to-day to perfect plans. The Company have abundant means. The plant will be located on Hunts Run. Judge Aldrich was a pleasant PRESS visitor this afternoon.

Early Morning Wedding.

Prof. Peter Dailey and Miss Marie A. Nangle were united in marriage at St. Marks Church, at 4:30 Monday morning and took Flyer for DuBois and other points. The young couple are exceedingly popular in town. Our best wishes for happy life. Mr. and Mrs. Dailey will reside in Emporium.

WEATHER REPORT
(Forecast by T. B. Lloyd.)
FRIDAY, Fair.
SATURDAY, Fair.
SUNDAY Fair.

Mr. Josiah Howard's Candidacy.

To the Editor Cameron County Press:

I noticed in last week's PRESS and Independent an article, signed "Republican," calling attention to the fact that Mr. Josiah Howard, the Republican candidate for Member of Assembly, had a number of years ago supported Hon. S. S. Smith.

The old campaign trick of signing political articles, intended to injure a candidate, with the designation of the party of the candidate, is so ancient and hoary, that it does not deceive anyone; it might have answered the purpose fifty years ago, but to make use of it at this late day is almost an insult to an intelligent community.

However as to the facts in this case, this article is a direct slap in the face of the three hundred or more Republican voters of Cameron county, who for reasons of their own have in the past supported Dr. Smith and F. X. Blumle, and a threat and menace to those who are expected to favor Mr. Blumle this fall, thus giving him a third term.

Gratitude for services rendered is evidently not one of the faults of the Democratic party in Cameron county.

Fearing that some of our Republican friends might not fully understand the situation, and might be misled by the cry of "vindication," I wish to point out the fact, that Mr. Howard is not a candidate of his own seeking, in fact he only consented to run at the earnest and continuous solicitation of many prominent Republicans, as well as Democrats, and not then until he had secured Mr Blumle's statement that he would not be a candidate. That Mr. Blumle made such a statement to a number of his friends, of both political parties, he cannot deny, nor can he deny the fact that he was told and well knew, that Mr. Howard did not wish a contest for election and if he Blumle, were a candidate, he did not desire the nomination. Not only this, but on account of the attitude of the Democratic press of this county, which has for a year past demanded the nomination of Mr. Blumle, these pointed out to him, that sufficient pressure might be brought to make him the candidate against his wishes, to which Mr. Blumle replied, that he could not be forced upon the ticket, as "he had a mind of his own."

Only then Mr. Howard consented to become a candidate, and it suffices to say, that the four hundred Republican votes, which he received at the Primaries, and the fact that he was unanimously nominated, and without any opposition whatsoever, should in itself be a guarantee, that there are no sore spots within the ranks of the Republican party, that Mr. Howard will have the support of his party, which he well deserves, and will be elected by a handsome majority.

A REPUBLICAN IN FACT.

Emporium, Pa., Sept. 21st, 1904.

Social Hop.

There will be a dance at the opera house to-morrow (Friday) evening, to which the public is cordially invited. Good music will be furnished and a grand time may be expected.

New Church Burned.

The new Methodist Episcopal church at Wrights, just completed and to be dedicated next month, was destroyed by fire last Monday night, supposed to be the work of an incendiary. We did not learn as to insurance, but presume it is a total loss.

At Rock City.

Mrs. Laura Bryan chaperoned a party of young folks to Rock City last Saturday and stopped at Bon-Aire over Sunday. The party consisted of Misses Winward, Wiley, Bryan, Caroline McQuay and Messrs. Geo. A. Walker, Jr., Leon Felt and H. G. Dunlevie. They report a delightful time, especially the Saturday evening hop.

What's in a Name?

Everything is in the name when it comes to Witch Hazel Salve. E. C. DeWitt & Co., of Chicago, discovered some years ago how to make a salve from Witch Hazel that is a specific for Piles. For blind, bleeding, itching and protruding Piles, eczema, cuts, burns, bruises and all skin diseases, DeWitt's Salve has no equal. This has given rise to numerous worthless counterfeits. Ask for DeWitt's—the genuine. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

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No paper will be discontinued until arrearages are paid, except at the option of the publisher.

Papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance.

Iron ore seems to exist in all parts of the Abyssinian empire. The samples are generally pure, and have usually been obtained near the surface under conditions favorable to economic mining. Owing to the absence of fuel other than wood, and the present impossibility of transporting ore to the coast, the industry gives no present promise, however rich the ore deposits may be.

The most beautiful volume in the Congressional Library at Washington is a Bible which was transcribed on parchment by a monk in the sixteenth century. The general lettering is in the German text, each letter is perfect, and there is not a scratch or blot from lid to lid. Each chapter begins with a large illuminated letter, in which is drawn the figure of a saint, some incident of whom the chapter tells.

The Berlin Omnibus Co., finding that the hats used for horses are unsuitable in the cases of pairs, have introduced "sunshades" for their protection from the sun. The "sunshades" consist of a wire framework covered with canvas and fastened to the harness. The advantage claimed for this novelty is that, besides protecting the animals from the sun, it allows a free current of air to pass over their heads.

Prof. Thomas Oliver, addressing the industrial hygiene section of the sanitary congress in Glasgow, said the system of "rushing" work introduced into Britain from America not only caused unwholesome fatigue and many accidents, but "predisposed the individual to ill health and created a taste for stimulants, unhealthful recreation and love of excitement such as was offered by theaters and music halls."

As the genius of American inventors gives to the mechanical and industrial world machines representing saving of time and increased capacity, European manufacturers are either scanning the horizon of American creative power for the appearance of some device that will improve their product or producing capacity, or they are nervously apprehensive of the introduction of machinery that will outclass and relegate to the scrap heap the mechanical fruits of their own endeavors.

The Norwegian cod fisheries have practically come to a close, with a total catch of 42,774,000 fish from all the cod fisheries of Norway. From this catch about the same quantities of klipfish, stockfish and salted and dried fish have been prepared as has been for the past two years. The season's catch has produced to the present about 13,050 barrels (30 gallons per barrel) of codliver oil, or more than five times the quantity produced from about the same number of fish in 1903.

Ordnance experts of the United States army, after months of work, have constructed a magazine infantry rifle which is believed to be superior to any in use in foreign armies. More than 40,000 already have been made at the government arsenals. The barrel of the gun is entirely covered by wood. The bore of the new rifle is smaller, the caliber being about .30 inch, while the initial velocity and penetrating power both are greater. The new gun also is several inches shorter than the old.

The population of St. Louis is 612,279. This estimate is made assuming that the city has grown normally since 1900, when the population was 575,238, allowing nothing for the stimulus of the World's fair. More than 75,000 people are in St. Louis now, directly dependent on the fair and drawing pay from either the fair or the thousands of exhibitors; so the population of the city, at present at least, is near 700,600. By the census, however, St. Louis is the fourth city of the United States, following New York, Chicago and Philadelphia.

There is a bee ranch with more than a million bees, in the heart of one of the densest residence districts of San Francisco. It is owned by Philip Prior, principal of the Burnett Grammar school, and is in the little back yard of his home. For ten years he has kept his bees there, harvested about a third of a ton of honey each season, and has been at no expense for food for his interesting and ideally industrious pets. His bees visit all the private and public gardens of the city and gather their food and pollen for the nourishment of the young.

ACCEPTS NOMINATION

ROOSEVELT'S LETTER TO THE NOTIFICATION COMMITTEE.

APPROVES PARTY PLATFORM

Says It Is Hard to Find Issues Upon Which Democrats Propose to Wage Campaign—His Views on Public Questions.

The following is a comprehensive synopsis of President Roosevelt's letter of acceptance of the republican nomination:

"Hon. J. G. Cannon, Chairman of the Notification Committee.—My Dear Sir: I accept the nomination for the presidency tendered me by the republican national convention, and cordially approve the platform adopted by it. In writing this letter there are certain points upon which I desire to lay especial stress.

"It is difficult to find out from the utterances of our opponents what are the real issues upon which they propose to wage this campaign. It is not unfair to say that, having abandoned most of the principles upon which they have insisted during the last eight years, they now seem at a loss, both as to what it is that they really believe, and as to how firmly they shall assert their belief in anything. In fact, it is doubtful if they venture resolutely to press a single issue; as soon as they raise one they shrink from it and seek to explain it away. Such an attitude is the probably inevitable result of the effort to improvise convictions; for when thus improvised, it is natural that they should be held in a tentative manner.

"The party now in control of the government is troubled by no such difficulties. We do not have to guess at our own convictions, and then correct the guess if it seems unpopular. The principles which we profess are those in which we believe with heart and soul and strength. Men may differ from us; but they cannot accuse us of shiftiness or insincerity. The policies we have pursued are those which we earnestly hold as essential to the national welfare and repute. Our actions speak even louder than our words for the faith that is in us. We base our appeal upon what we have done and are doing, upon our record of administration and legislation during the last seven years, in which we have had complete control of the government. We intend in the future to carry on the government in the same way that we have carried it on in the past.

A Disrupted Party.

"A party whose members are radically at variance on most vital issues, and if united at all are only united on issues where their attitude threatens widespread disaster to the whole country, cannot be trusted to govern in any matter. A party which, with facile ease, changes all its convictions before election cannot be trusted to adhere with tenacity to any principle after election. A party fit to govern must have convictions. In 1896 the republican party came into power, and in 1900 it retained power, on certain definite pledges, each of which was scrupulously fulfilled. But in addition to meeting and solving the problems which were issues in these campaigns, it also became necessary to meet other problems which arose after election; and it is no small part of our claim to public confidence that these were solved with the same success that had attended the solution of those concerning which the battles at the polls were fought. In other words, our governmental efficiency proved equal not only to the tasks that were anticipated, but to doing each unanticipated task as it arose.

"When the contest of 1896 was decided, the question of the war with Spain was not an issue. When the contest of 1900 was decided, the shape which the Isthmian canal question ultimately took could not have been foreseen. But the same qualities which enabled those responsible for making and administering the laws at Washington to deal successfully with the tariff and the currency, enabled them also to deal with the Spanish war; and the same qualities which enabled them to act wisely in the Philippines, and in Cuba, also enabled them to do their duty as regards the problems connected with the trusts, and to secure the building of the Isthmian canal. We are content to rest our case before the American people upon the fact that to adherence to a lofty ideal we have added proved governmental efficiency. Therefore, our promises may surely be trusted as regards any issue that is now before the people; and we may equally be trusted to deal with any problem which may hereafter arise.

"So well has the work been done that our opponents do not venture to recite the facts about our policies or acts, and then oppose them. They attack them only when they have first misrepresented them; for a truthful recital would leave no room for adverse comment."

The action of the administration in connection with the Panama revolution and the signing of the canal treaty is outlined and the president says:

"Criticism of the action in this matter is simply criticism of the only possible action which could have secured the building of the canal; as well as the peace and quiet which we were, by treaty, bound to preserve along the line of transit across the isthmus. The service rendered this country in securing the perpetual right to construct, maintain, operate and defend the canal was so great that our opponents do not venture to raise the issue in straightforward fashion; for if so raised there would be no issue."

Democratic Misrepresentation.

He charges misrepresentation on the part of the democrats in the statements of the conduct of the foreign policy of the administration and the operations of the navy, and asks:

"Do our opponents object to the way in which the Monroe doctrine has been strengthened and upheld? Never before has this doctrine been acquiesced in abroad as it is now; and yet, while upholding the rights of the weaker American republics against foreign aggression, the administration has lost no opportunity to point out to these republics that those who seek equity should come with clean hands, and that whoever claims liberty as a right must accept the responsibilities that go with the exercise of the right. Do our opponents object to what was done in reference to the petition of American citizens against the Kishenev massacre? or to the protest against the treatment of the Jews in Roumania? or to the efforts that have been made in behalf of the Armenians in Turkey? No other administration in our history, no other government in the world, has more consistently stood for the broadest spirit of brotherhood in our common humanity, or has held a more resolute attitude of protest against every wrong that outraged the civilization of the age, at home or abroad. Do our opponents object to the fact that the international tribunal at The Hague was rescued from impotence, and turned into a potent instrument for peace among the nations? This government has used that tribunal, and advocated its use by others, in pursuance of its policy to promote the cause of international peace and good will by all honorable methods. In carrying out this policy, it has settled dispute after dispute by arbitration or by friendly agreement. It has behaved towards all nations, strong or weak, with courtesy, dignity and justice; and it is now on excellent terms with all.

"Do our opponents object to the settlement of the Alaska boundary line? Do they object to the fact that after freeing Cuba we gave her reciprocal trade advantage with the United States, while at the same time keeping naval stations in the island and providing against its sinking into chaos, or being conquered by any foreign power? Do they object to the fact that our flag now flies over Porto Rico? Do they object to the acquisition of Hawaii? Once they 'hauled down' our flag there; we have hoisted it again; do they intend once more to haul it down? Do they object to the part we played in China? Do they not know that the voice of the United States would now count for nothing in the far east if we had abandoned the Philippines and refused to do what was done in China? Do they object to the fact that this government secured a peaceful settlement of the troubles in Venezuela two years ago? Do they object to the presence of the ship-of-war off Colon when the revolution broke out in Panama, and when only the presence of this ship saved the lives of American citizens, and prevented insult to the flag? Do they object to the fact that American warships appeared promptly at the port of Beirut when an effort had been made to assassinate an American official, and in the port of Tangier when an American citizen had been abducted? and that in each case the wrong complained of was righted and expiated? and that within the last few days the visit of an American squadron to Smyrna was followed by the long-delayed concession of their just rights to those Americans concerned in educational work in Turkey? Do they object to the trade treaty with China, so full of advantage for the American people in the future? Do they object to the fact that the ships carrying the national flag now have a higher standard than ever before in marksmanship and in seamanship, as individual units and as component parts of squadrons and fleets? If they object to any or all of these things, we join issue with them.

"Executive Encroachments."

"When our opponents speak of 'encroachments' by the executive upon the authority of congress or the judiciary, apparently the act they ordinarily have in view is Pension Order No. 78, issued under the authority of existing law. This order directed that hereafter any veteran of the civil war who had reached the age of 62 should be presumptively entitled to the pension of six dollars a month, given under the dependent pension law to those whose capacity to earn their livelihood by manual labor has been decreased 50 per cent., and that by the time the age of 70 was reached the presumption should be that the physical disability was complete; the age being treated as an evidential fact in each case. This order was made in the performance of a duty imposed upon the president by an act of congress, which requires the executive to make regulations to govern the subordinates of the pension office in determining who are entitled to pensions. President Cleveland had already exercised this power by a regulation which declared that 75 should be fixed as the age at which total disability should be conclusively presumed. Similarly President McKinley established 65 as the age at which half disability should be conclusively presumed. The regulation now in question, in the exercise of the same power, supplemented these regulations made under Presidents Cleveland and McKinley.

"If our opponents come into power they can revoke this order and announce that they will treat the veterans of 62 to 70 as presumably in full bodily vigor and not entitled to pensions. Will they now authoritatively state that they intend to do this? If so, we accept the issue. If not, then we have the right to ask why they raise an issue which, when raised, they do not venture to meet."

Criticisms of the administration's settlement of the coal strike and the suit against the Northern Securities company are cited, and the president says:

"Such mutually destructive criticisms furnish an adequate measure of the chance for coherent action or constructive legislation if our opponents should be given power."

Democratic Policies.

Of the policies for which the democratic party professes to stand the president says:

"So much for what our opponents openly or covertly advance in the way of an attack on the acts of the administration. When we come to consider the policies for which they profess to stand we are met with the difficulty always arising when statements of policy are so made that they can be interpreted in different ways. On some of the vital questions that have confronted the American people in the last decade our opponents take the position that silence is the best possible way to convey their views. They contend that their lukewarm attitude of partial acquiescence in what others have accomplished entitles them to be made the custodians of the financial honor and commercial interests which they have but recently sought to ruin."

He reviews the history of the republican party's efforts to establish a stable national currency, and says:

"Until our opponents as a party explicitly adopt the views which we hold and upon which we have acted and are acting, in the matter of a sound currency; the only real way to keep the question from becoming unsettled is to keep the republican party in power."

He points to the record of the administration in its dealings with both capital and labor, and carefully outlines each step that has been taken for the enforcement of the anti-trust laws, and explains the need of such laws on the national statute books in opposition to the democratic claim "that the common law, as developed, affords a complete legal remedy against monopolies," and of this he says:

"But there is no common law of the United States. Its rules can be enforced only by the state courts and officers. No federal court or officer could take any action whatever under them. It was this fact, coupled with the inability of the states to control trusts and monopolies, which led to the passage of the federal statutes known as the Sherman anti-trust act and the interstate commerce act; and it is only through the exercise of the powers conferred by these acts, and by the statutes of the last congress supplementing them, that the national government acquires any jurisdiction over the subject. To say that action against trusts and monopolies should be limited to the application of common law is equivalent to saying that the national government should take no action whatever to regulate them."

The Tariff Issues.

He charges the democrats with insincerity and evasiveness in their statements regarding a tariff policy, and says:

"Undoubtedly it would be possible at the present time to prevent any of the trusts from remaining prosperous by the simple expedient of making such a sweeping change in the tariff as to paralyze the industries of the country. The trusts would cease to prosper; but their smaller competitors would be ruined, and the wage-workers would starve, while it would not pay the farmer to haul his produce to market."

Continuing on the subject of the tariff, he says:

"From time to time schedules must undoubtedly be rearranged and readjusted to meet the shifting needs of the country; but this can with safety be done only by those who are committed to the cause of the protective system. To uproot and destroy that system would be to insure the prostration of business, the closing of factories, the impoverishment of the farmer, the ruin of the capitalist, and the starvation of the wage-worker.

"It is a matter of regret that the protective tariff policy, which, during the last 40 odd years, has become part of the very fiber of this country, is not now accepted as definitely established. Surely we have a right to say that it has passed beyond the domain of theory, and a right to expect that not only its original advocates, but those who at one time distrusted it on theoretic grounds, should now acquiesce in the results that have been proved over and over again by actual experience. These 40 odd years have been the most prosperous years this nation has ever seen; more prosperous years than any other nation has ever seen. Beyond question this prosperity could not have come if the American people had not possessed the necessary thrift, energy and business intelligence to turn their vast material resources to account. But it is no less true that it is our economic policy as regards the tariff and finance which has enabled us as a nation to make such good use of the individual capacities of our citizens, and the natural resources of our country. Every class of our people is benefited by the protective tariff. During the last few years the merchant has seen the export trade of this country grow faster than ever in our previous history. The manufacturer could not keep his factory running if it were not for the protective tariff. The wage-worker would do well to remember that if protection is 'robbery,' and is to be punished accordingly, he will be the first to pay the penalty; for either he will be turned adrift entirely, or his wages will be cut down to the starvation point. As conclusively shown by the bulletins of the bureau of labor, the purchasing power of the average wage received by the wage-worker has grown faster than the cost of living, and this in spite of the continual shortening of working hours. The accumulated savings of the workingmen of the country, as shown by the deposits in the savings banks, have increased by leaps and bounds. At no time in the history of this or any other country has there been an era so productive of material benefit alike to workingman and employer as during the seven years that have just passed.

"The farmer has benefited quite as much as the manufacturer, the merchant and the wage-worker. The most welcome and impressive fact established by the last census is the wide and even distribution of wealth among all classes of our countrymen. The chief agencies in producing this distribution are shown by the census to be the development of manufactures, and the application of new inventions to universal use. The result has been an increasing interdependence of agriculture and manufactures."

Republican Reciprocity.

On the subject of reciprocity the president says:

"Our opponents assert that they believe in reciprocity. Their action on the most important reciprocity treaty recently negotiated—that with Cuba—does not bear out this assertion. Moreover, there can be no reciprocity unless there is a substantial tariff; free trade and reciprocity are not compatible. We are on record as favoring arrangements for reciprocal trade relations with other countries, these arrangements to be on an equitable basis of benefit to both the contracting parties. The republican party stands pledged to every wise and consistent method of increasing the foreign commerce of the country. That it has kept its pledge is proven by the fact that while the domestic trade of this country exceeds in volume the entire export and import trade of all the nations of the world, the United States has in addition secured more than an eighth of the export trade of the world, standing first among the nations in this respect."

Of the proposition to reduce the size of the army the president says:

"If our opponents should come into power they could not reduce our army below its present size without greatly impairing its efficiency and abandoning part of the national duty. In short, in this matter, if our opponents should come into power they would either have to treat this particular promise of the year 1904 as they now treat the promises they made in 1896 and 1900, that is, as possessing no binding force; or else they would have to embark on a policy which would be ludicrous at the moment, and fraught with grave danger to the national honor in the future."

He reviews the administration of the government finances and refutes the charge that the government is administered extravagantly with facts and figures, and says:

"Do our opponents grudge the $50,000,000 paid for the Panama canal? Do they intend to cut down on the pensions to the veterans of the civil war? Do they intend to put a stop to the irrigation policy? or to the permanent census bureau? or to immigration inspection? Do they intend to abolish rural free delivery? Do they intend to cut down the navy? or the Alaskan telegraph system? Do they intend to dismantle our coast fortifications? If there is to be a real and substantial cutting down in national expenditures it must be in such matters as these. The department of agriculture has done service of incalculable value to the farmers of this country in many different lines. Do our opponents wish to cut down the money for this service? They can do it only by destroying the usefulness of the service itself."

Philippine Independence.

He refers to the promise in the democratic platform to give independence to the Philippine islands, and after speaking of the folly of such a promise says:

"It may well be that our opponents have no real intention of putting their promise into effect. If this is the case, if, in other words, they are insincere in the promise they make, it is only necessary to say again that it is unwise to trust men who are false in one thing to deal with anything. The mere consciousness of broken faith would hamper them in continuing our policy in the islands; and only by continuing unchanged this policy can the honor of the country be maintained, or the interests of the islands subserved. If, on the other hand, our opponents came into power and attempted to carry out their promises to the Filipinos by giving them independence and withdrawing American control from the islands, the result would be a frightful calamity to the Filipinos themselves, and in its larger aspect would amount to an international crime. Anarchy would follow; and the most violent anarchic forces would be directed partly against the civil government, partly against all forms of religious and educational civilization. Bloody conflicts would inevitably ensue in the archipelago, and just as inevitably the islands would become the prey of the first power which in its own selfish interest took up the task we had cravenly abandoned.

"During the last five years more has been done for the material and moral well-being of the Filipinos than ever before since the islands first came within the ken of civilized man. We have opened before them a vista of orderly development in their own interest, and not a policy of exploitation. Every effort is being made to fit the islanders for self-government, and they have already in large measure received it, while for the first time in their history their personal rights and civil liberties have been guaranteed. They are being educated; they have been given schools; they have been given libraries; roads are being built for their use; their health is being cared for; they have been given courts in which they receive justice as absolute as it is in our power to guarantee. Their individual rights to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness are now by act of congress jealously safeguarded under the American flag; and if the protection of the flag were withdrawn their rights would be lost, and the islands would be plunged back under some form of vicious tyranny. We have given them more self-government than they have ever before had; we are taking steps to increase it still further by providing them with an elected legislative assembly; and surely we had better await the result of this experiment—for it is a wholly new experiment in Asia—before we make promises which as a nation we might be forced to break, or which they might interpret one way and we in another. It may be asserted without fear of successful contradiction that nowhere else in recent years has there been as fine an example of constructive statesmanship and wise and upright administration as has been given by the civil authorities, aided by the army, in the Philippine islands. We have administered them in the interest of their own people, and the Filipinos themselves have testified most by our presence in the islands; but they have also been of very great advantage to us as a nation."

Conclusion.

In conclusion the president says:

"Our appeal is made to all good citizens who hold the honor and the interest of the nation close to their hearts. The great issues which are at stake, and upon which I have touched, are more than mere partisan issues, for they involve much that comes home to the individual pride and individual well-being of our people. Under conditions as they actually are, good Americans should refuse, for the sake of the welfare of the nation, to change the national policy. We, who are responsible for the administration and legislation under which this country, during the last seven years, has grown so greatly in well-being at home and in honorable repute among the nations of the earth abroad, do not stand inertly upon this record, do not use this record as an excuse for failure of effort to meet new conditions. On the contrary, we treat the record of what we have done in the past as incitement to do even better in the future. We believe that the progress that we have made may be taken as a measure of the progress we shall continue to make if the people again entrust the government of the nation to our hands. We do not stand still. We press steadily forward toward the goal of moral and material well-being for our own people, of just and fearless dealing toward all other peoples, in the interest not merely of this country, but of mankind. There is not a policy, foreign or domestic, which we are now carrying out, which it would not be disastrous to reverse or abandon. If our opponents should come in and should not reverse our policies, then they would be branded with the brand of broken faith, of false promise, of insincerity in word and deed; and no man can work to the advantage of the nation with such a brand clinging to him. If, on the other hand, they should come in and reverse any or all of our policies, by just so much would the nation as a whole be damaged. Alike as lawmakers and as administrators of the law we have endeavored to do our duty in the interest of the people as a whole. We make our appeal to no class and to no section, but to all good citizens, in whatever part of the land they dwell, and whatever may be their occupation or worldly condition. We have striven both for civic righteousness and for national greatness; and we have faith to believe that our hands will be upheld by all who feel love of country and trust in the uplifting of mankind. We stand for enforcement of the law and for obedience to the law; our government is a government of orderly liberty equally alien to tyranny and to anarchy; and its foundation-stone is the observance of the law, alike by the people and by the public servants. We hold ever before us as the all-important end of policy and administration the reign of peace at home and throughout the world; of peace, which comes only by doing justice. Faithfully yours,

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

Mrs. Elizabeth H. Thompson, of Lillydale, N.Y., Grand Worthy Wise Templar, and Member of W.C.T.U., tells how she recovered by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I am one of the many of your grateful friends who have been cured through the use of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** and who can to-day thank you for the fine health I enjoy. When I was thirty-five years old, I suffered severe backache and frequent bearing-down pains; in fact, I had womb trouble I was very anxious to get well, and reading of the cures your Compound had made, I decided to try it. I took only six bottles, but it built me up and cured me entirely of my troubles.

"My family and relatives were naturally as gratified as I was. My niece had heart trouble and nervous prostration, and was considered incurable. She took your Vegetable Compound and it cured her in a short time, and she became well and strong, and her home to her great joy and her husband's delight was blessed with a baby. I know of a number of others who have been cured of different kinds of female trouble, and am satisfied that your Compound is the best medicine for sick women."—MRS. ELIZABETH H. THOMPSON, Box 105, Lillydale, N.Y.—*$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.*

HAS THE BIGGEST TONNAGE.

Great Britain Carries More Than One-Third of Earth's Traffic—Vessels Total Nearly 25,000.

Great Britain is the busiest common carrier on earth. The total tonnage of the world's merchant marine is estimated at 33,643,000 tons and the total number of vessels is 24,854. Of this enormous tonnage Great Britain carries one-third, or 16,006,374 tons, while the great majority of the big vessels are British. Forty-eight of the 89 vessels of over 10,000 tons burden, 119 of the 150 of 7,000 to 10,000 tons burden and 366 of the 528 between 6,000 and 7,000 tons burden fly the British flag. After Great Britain the list of common carriers stands in the following order: America, with 3,671,956 tons; Germany, with 3,283,247 tons; Norway, with 1,653,746 tons; France, with 1,622,016 tons; Italy, with 1,180,335 tons; Russia, with 809,648 tons; Spain, with 714,447 tons, and Japan, with 726,818 tons.

TEN MILES WITH HEAD DOWN.

Gerald Hardie's Foot Held Fast in a Coupling and He Is Severely Injured.

With one foot held firmly as if in a vise George Hardie, 23 years old, of Elizabeth, N. J., hung head downward between two coal cars of a train on the Central railroad of New Jersey, while it traveled a distance of ten miles. He was struck repeatedly by projections rising above the track level, but was powerless to extricate himself until the train reached Fanwood station.

He was found there by a brakeman and brought to Plainfield, his head torn and his chest cut in a dozen places. After boarding the train at Elizabeth Hardie was jolted from his seat, and in falling caught his foot in the coupling, which saved him from being ground to pieces. The physician who was summoned to attend him says the man will recover.

Hard on the Typewriter.

A Danish scientist has discovered a new electric wave by means of which he can make a typewriter work in another room. No more novel reading by the typewriter, says the Chicago Record-Herald, when the boss is shut up in his private office.

From Massachusetts.

A Massachusetts doctor says the wearing of smoked glasses prevents hay fever. He probably believes also, says the Chicago Record-Herald, that people can be free from rheumatism if they will carry potatoes in their pockets.

WHAT'S THE USE

To Keep a "Coffee Complexion."

A lady says: "Postum has helped my complexion so much that my friends say I am growing young again. My complexion used to be coffee colored, muddy and yellow, but it is now clear and rosy as when I was a girl. I was induced to try Postum by a friend who had suffered just as I had suffered from terrible indigestion, palpitation of the heart and sinking spells.

"After I had used Postum a week I was so much better that I was afraid it would not last. But now two years have passed and I am a well woman. I owe it all to leaving off coffee and drinking Postum in its place.

"I had drank coffee all my life. I suspected that it was the cause of my trouble, but it was not until I actually quit coffee and started to try Postum that I became certain; then all my troubles ceased and I am now well and strong again." Name furnished by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.

Look in each package for a copy of the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Pennsylvania RAILROAD.

PHILADELPHIA AND ERIE RAIL ROAD DIVISION.

In effect May 29, 1904.

TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM EASTWARD

8 10 A. M.—Week days for Sunbury, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazleton, Pottsville, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.23 P.M., New York 9.30 P. M., Baltimore 6 00 P. M., Washington 7.15 P. M. Pullman Parlor car from Williamsport to Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Kane to Philadelphia and Williamsport to Baltimore and Washington.

12:25 P. M. (Emporium Junction) daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and principal intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 7:32 p. m.; New York, 10:23 p. m.; Baltimore, 7:30 p. m.; Washington, 8:35 p. m. Vestibuled Parlor cars and passenger coaches, Buffalo to Philadelphia and Washington.

8 20 P. M.—daily for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 4.23 A. M., New York 7.13 A. M., Baltimore, 2:20 A. M. Washington, 3:30 A. M. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7:30 A. M.

10 30 P. M.—Daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 7.17 A. M., New York 9.33 A. M., weekdays, (10.38 A. M. Sunday;) Baltimore 7.15 A. M., Washington 8.30 A. M. Pullman sleeping cars from Erie, Buffalo and Williamsport to Philadelphia and Buffalo, Williamsport to Washington. Passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia and Williamsport to Baltimore.

12:15 A. M. (Emporium Junction), daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and principal intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 7:32 a. m.; New York, 9:33 a. m., week days; (10:38 Sundays); Baltimore, 7:25 a. m.; Washington, 8:48 a. m. Vestibuled Buffet Sleeping Cars and Passenger coaches, Buffalo to Philadelphia and Washington.

WESTWARD.

5:10 A. M.—Emporium Junction—daily for Erie, Ridgway, and week days for DuBois, Clermont and intermediate stations.

10 30 A. M.—Daily for Erie and week days for DuBois and intermediate stations.

9 23 P. M.—Week days for Kane and intermediate stations.

RIDGWAY AND CLEARFIELD R. R. CONNECTIONS.
(Week days.)

SOUTHWARD.			Stations.	NORTHWARD		
P. M	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
.....	9 00	4 02	....Renovo....	.....	5 00	11 45
.....	9 50	4 41	...Driftwood...	.....	4 05	11 05
.....	10 25	5 10	Emporium Junc	.....	3 23	10 35
.....	11 13	5 53	....St. Marys....	.....	2 35	9 53
3 20	11 05	5 55	.....Kane.....	12 25	3 00	8 25
3 36	11 23	6 13	....Wilcox....	12 02	2 40	8 04
3 48	11 43	6 25	..Johnsonburg..	11 47	2 28	7 49
4 05	12 05	6 50	...Ridgway,....	9 20	2 10	7 30
4 15	12 15	7 01	..Mill Haven...	9 09	1 58	7 20
4 25	12 24	7 10	.. Croyland....	9 00	1 49	7 09
———	12 28	7 15	..Shorts Mills..	8 55	———	7 05
4 34	12 32	7 19	...Blue Rock...	8 51	1 40	7 01
4 38	12 35	7 23	....Carrier....	8 47	1 37	6 57
4 48	12 45	7 32	.Brockwayville.	8 37	1 27	6 47
4 53	12 50	7 37	..Lanes Mills..	8 34	1 23	6 43
4 57		7 41	.McMinns Sm't.	8 33		6 38
5 01	1 00	7 45	.Harveys Run..	8 25	1 15	6 35
5 05	1 05	7 53	..Falls Creek...	8 21	1 10	6 30
5 20	1 25	8 03	....DuBois.....	8 08	12 55	6 10
5 10	1 15	7 55	..Falls Creek...	6 53	1 15	6 30
5 27	1 29	8 08	.Reynoldsville..	6 39	12 52	6 15
6 00	1 56	8 35	...Brookville...	6 05	12 24	5 39
6 45	2 38	9 20	New Bethlehem		11 44	4 50
7 25	3 20	10 00	...Red Bank....	.....	11 05	4 05
10 10	5 30	12 35	....Pittsburg....	.....	9 00	1 30
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.

BUFFALO & ALLEGHENY VALLEY DIVISION.

Leave Emporium Junction for Port Allegany, Olean, Arcade, East Aurora and Buffalo.

Train No. 107, daily,.....4:05 A. M.
Train No. 115, daily,.....4:15 P. M.

Trains leave Emporium for Keating, Port Allegany, Coudersport, Smethport, Eldred, Bradford, Olean and Buffalo, connecting at Buffalo for points East and West.

Train No. 101, week days,.....8:25 A. M.
Train No. 103, week days.....1:35 P. M.

Train No. 103 will connect at Olean with Chautauqua Division for Allegany, Bradford, Salamanca, Warren, Oil City and Pittsburg.

LOW GRADE DIVISION.

EASTBOUND.

STATIONS.	109	113	101	105	107	951
	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M	P. M	A. M.
Pittsburg,..Lv	.....	†6 15	†9 00	†130	*505	‡ 9 00
Red Bank,.....	.....	9 30	11 05	4 05	7 55	11 10
Lawsonham,..	.....	9 47	‡1118	4 18	8 07	11 23
New Bethle'm.	.....	10 20	11 44	4 50	8 37	11 55
Brookville,....	†6 05	11 10	12 24	5 39	9 22	12 41
Reynoldsville,	6 39	11 42	12 52	6 15	9 50	1 14
Falls Creek....	6 53	11 57	1 15	6 30	1005	1 29
DuBois,.....	7 00	†12 05	1 25	6 40	1015	‡ 1 35
Sabula,.....	7 12	.....	1 37	6 53		
Pennfield,.....	7 30	.....	1 55	7 15		
Bennezette,....	8 04	.....	2 29	7 47		
Driftwood,....	†8 40	.....	†3 05	8 20		
via P. & E. Div						
Driftwood.. Lv.	†9 50	.....	†3 45			
Emporium, Ar.	†10 30	.....	†4 10			
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M	P. M.

WESTBOUND.

STATIONS.	108	106	102	114	110	952
Via P. & E. Div	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Emporium, Lv.	.....	.....	†8 10	.....	†3 20	.....
Driftwood, Ar..	.....	.....	†9 04	.....	†4 00	.....
Via L. G. Div	.....					
Driftwood, Lv.	.....	†5 50	†1110	.....	†5 50	.....
Bennezette,....	.....	6 25	11 45	.....	6 25	.....
Pennfield,.....	.....	7 00	12 20	.....	7 04	.....
Sabula,.....	.....	7 18	12 39	.....	7 23	.....
DuBois.....	*6 05	7 30	12 55	†5 00	7 35	†4 10
Falls Creek....	6 12	7 55	1 15	5 10	7 42	4 17
Reynoldsville,..	6 30	8 08	1 29	5 27	7 58	4 30
Brookville,....	7 05	8 35	1 56	6 00	†8 30	5 00
New Bethle'm.	7 51	9 20	2 38	6 45	.....	5 45
Lawsonham,..	8 21	9 47	†3 06	7 14	.....	6 18
Red Bank,Ar...	8 35	10 00	3 20	7 25	.....	6 30
Pittsburg, Ar...	*11 15	†1235	†5 30	†1010	.....	†9 30
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only. ¿Flag Stop.

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Taking effect May 27th, 1901.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	10	8	4	6	2
	P. M.	.....	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Port Allegany, .. Lv.	3 15	.....	7 05	.....	11 36
Coleman,	*3 23	.....	○○	.....	*11 41
Burtville,	*3 30	.....	7 16	.....	11 47
Roulette,	3 40	.....	7 25	.....	11 55
Knowlton's,	*3 45	.....	○○	.....	*11 59
Mina,	3 59	.....	7 35	.....	12 05
Olmsted,	*4 05	.....	*7 38	.....	*12 09
Hammonds,	○○	.....	○○	.....	*12 13
Coudersport. {Ar.	4 20	A. M.	7 45	.....	12 15
{Lv.		6 10		6 00	1 00
North Coudersport,	.....	*6 15	.....	○○	*1 05
Frink's,	.....	6 25	.....	*6 10	*1 12
Colesburg,	.....	*6 40	.....	*6 17	1 20
Seven Bridges,	.....	*6 45	.....	*6 21	*1 24
Raymonds's,	.....	*7 00	.....	*6 30	1 35
Gold,	.....	7 05	.....	6 36	1 41
Newfield,	.....	○○	.....		1 45
Newfield Junction,	.....	7 37	.....	6 45	1 50
Perkins,	.....	*7 40	.....	*6 48	*1 53
Carpenter's,	.....	7 46	.....	○○	*1 57
Crowell's,	.....	7 50	.....	*6 53	*2 01
Ulysses, Ar.	.....	8 05	.....	7 05	2 10
	.....	A. M.	.....		P. M.

WESTWARD.

STATIONS.	1	5	3		
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	.....	.....
Ulysses, Lv.	7 20	2 25	9 10	.....	.....
Crowell's,	*7 27	*2 32	*9 19	.....	.....
Carpenter's,	○○	*2 34	*9 22	.....	.....
Perkins,	*7 32	*2 37	*9 26	.....	.....
Newfield Junction,	7 37	2 42	9 32	.....	.....
Newfield,	*7 41	2 46	○○	.....	.....
Gold,	7 44	2 49	9 40	.....	.....
Raymond's	*7 49	2 54	*9 47	.....	.....
Seven Bridges,	*8 01	*3 06	*10 02	.....	.....
Colesburg,	*8 04	3 09	*10 10	.....	.....
Frink's,	*8 12	*3 17	*10 20	.....	.....
North Coudersport,	○○	*3 26	*10 35	.....	.....
Coudersport, {Ar.	8 25	3 30	10 45	.....	.....
{Lv.	8 28	6 00	P. M. 1 20	.....	.....
Hammonds,	○○	○○	○○	.....	.....
Olmsted,	*8 33	*6 05	*1 31	.....	.....
Mina,	8 37	6 10	1 37	.....	.....
Knowlton's,	○○	*6 17	○○	.....	.....
Roulette,	8 47	6 21	1 51	.....	.....
Burtville,	8 54	6 28	2 01	.....	.....
Coleman,	○○	*6 34	○○	.....	.....
Port Allegany,	9 08	6 40	2 25	.....	.....

(*) Flag stations. (○○) Trains do not stop
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Sunday Only	Week Days.					Daily	Week Days.			
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	STATIONS.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
5 10		5 10	11 10	7 15	Lv.....Addison.....Ar	10 13	4 43			
5 41		5 41	11 41	8 01	.....Elkland.....	9 41	4 11			
5 46		5 46	11 46	8 06	.....Osceola.....	9 36	4 06			
5 55		5 55	11 55	8 22	.....Knoxville.....	9 26	3 56			
6 11		6 11	12 11	8 40	.....Westfield.....	9 13	3 43			
6 47		6 47	12 47	9 25	.....Gaines Junction.....	8 36	3 06			
7 00		7 00	1 00	9 49	Ar. { Galeton, . } Lv.	8 23	2 53	5 35		
	5 00			10 20	Lv. { } Ar.					
7 40	5 40	P. M.	P. M.	10 58	Ar.....Cross Fork Junction.....Lv	7 39	2 09	4 23		
	5 45	2 10		11 00	Lv. Cross Fork Junction Ar.	7 18	2 00	3 55		
	6 35	3 00		11 50	Ar. Cross Fork, Pa. Lv.	6 15	1 00	3 05		
8 24	6 24	P. M.	A. M.	11 39	Ar.....Wharton.....Lv.	6 53	1 26	3 10		
			8 05	11 40	Lv.....Wharton.....Ar	10 53		3 00		
		A. M.	8 58	1 00	Ar.....Sinnamahoning.....Lv	9 55		1 40		
8 45	6 43	8 00		11 58	Lv.....Austin.....Ar	6 35	1 05	9 50	8 00	
	7 10	8 45		12 25	Ar.....Keating Summit.....Lv		12 40	9 10	7 30	
P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
			P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.			
			8 20	9 35	Lv.....Ansonia.....Ar	9 21	7 00			
			8 35	9 49	.....Manhatten.....	9 05	6 44			
			8 39	9 53	.....South Gaines.....	9 01	6 40			
			8 42	9 55	.....Gaines Junction.....	8 59	6 38			
			8 55	10 05	Ar.....Galeton.....Lv	8 45	6 25			
			P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.			
			P. M.	A. M.			P. M.			
			1 05	6 30	Lv.....Galeton.....Ar	10 10	4 55			
			1 24	6 47	.....Walton.....	9 51	4 39			
			1 50	7 13	.....Newfield Junction.....	9 27	4 15			
			2 06	7 30	.....West Bingham.....	9 09	4 01			
			2 18	7 41	.....Genesee.....	8 58	3 52			
			2 24	7 46	.....Shongo.....	8 53	3 47			
			2 46	8 06	Ar.....Wellsville.....Lv	8 30	3 30			
						A. M.	P. M.			

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At Addison with Erie R. R., Union Station.
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Far East War

RUSSIANS LOST 17,000 MEN.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 15.—Gen. Kuropatkin's official report, which was given out last night, comes as a considerable relief as setting at rest alarmist stories of the loss of guns, the cutting off of divisions and the death or capture of prominent commanders, which have been freely circulating here. The report, which is a very long one, enters at considerable detail into the various phases of the battle of Liao Yang and entirely bears out the declaration of the Associated Press at the time that Gen. Orloff's failure to hold the vital position at the Yentai mines was responsible for the breaking down of the whole of Kuropatkin's plan of battle and turned a potential victory into defeat.

The manner in which the retreat was carried out in the face of the terrible condition of the country and the determined pressure of the Japanese armies does much to restore Kuropatkin's prestige in military circles. The total Russian losses are 17,000 men.

Field Marshal Oyama reports to Tokio that a considerable Russian force remains south of the Hun river, while Gen. Kuropatkin yesterday telegraphed to St. Petersburg that the bulk of the Japanese force is still south of the Yentai branch railroad.

LENA WILL BE DISMANTLED.

Washington, Sept. 16.—Acting Secretary of State Adee yesterday gave out the following statement regarding the Russian ship Lena, now at San Francisco:

"The president has to-day issued an order, through the acting secretary of state, directing that the Russian armed transport Lena, now at San Francisco, be taken into custody by the naval authorities of the United States and disarmed. The main features of the conditions prescribed are that the Lena be taken to the Mare Island navy yard and there disarmed by removal of small guns, small arms, ammunition and ordnance stores and such other dismantlement as may be prescribed by the commandant of the navy yard; that the captain give a written guarantee that the Lena shall not leave San Francisco until peace shall have been concluded; that the officers and crew shall be paroled not to leave San Francisco until some other understanding as to their disposal may be reached between the United States government and both the belligerents; that after disarmament the vessel may be removed to a private dock for such reasonable repairs as will make her seaworthy and preserve her in good condition during her detention, or may be so repaired at the navy yard if the Russian commander should so elect; that while at a private dock the commandant of the navy yard at Mare Island shall have custody of the ship and the repairs shall be overseen by an engineer officer to be detailed by the commandant and that, when so repaired, if peace shall not then have been concluded, the vessel shall be taken back to the Mare Island navy yard and be there held in custody until the end of the war.

"This action has been taken upon the written request of the commander of the Lena, addressed to Rear Admiral Goodrich, setting forth that as the vessel is incapable of putting to sea without needful repairs she must disarm, and asking that needful repairs be permitted after disarmament."

JAPS ARE ON THE MOVE.

Paris, Sept. 17.—Exact figures of the Russian losses in killed, wounded and missing in the operations before Liao Yarg from August 13 to August 26 have been received by the official staff, according to the Journal's St. Petersburg correspondent. These amount to two generals, 256 officers and 21,800 soldiers. In addition 133 guns were lost.

An Associated Press dispatch from Mukden announcing that, according to information from Chinese sources, the Japanese are leaving a garrison at Liao Yang and their main forces are moving out on the Russian flanks, is partially confirmed by a dispatch from Gen. Kuropatkin reporting that the Japanese are massing on the Russian flanks; that a large force is concentrating 20 miles southeast of Mukden, and that another force, whose strength has not been estimated, is moving up the Liao valley. The greater part of Field Marshal Oyama's army, however, is still near Yentai, encamped along the heights between the mines and the railroad.

Che Foo, Sept. 17.—The Japanese troops near Port Arthur between September 8 and September 10 captured a fortress situated on a high hill two miles east of Golden Hill by assault.

The foregoing information was received from an intelligent Chinese who left Port Arthur on September 12. He adds that the Japanese are tunneling under the Russian forts with the intention of blowing them up.

A shell struck a destroyer which was lying in dock undergoing repairs, knocking it into kindling wood and killing seven sailors. This shell came from the Japanese fleet, which comes in much closer than formerly, throwing a few shells. One shell demolished several engines in the dock yards and killed an officer and two men.

Two Alleged Lynchers are Arrested.

Huntsville, Ala., Sept. 17.—The second arrest in connection with the lynching of the negro, Horace Maples, was made Friday. Thomas N. Riggins, proprietor of a hotel, was placed in jail, charged with murder. Ben Hill was the first and only other person indicted who has been arrested so far. Several others are believed to have taken flight. The night passed quietly at the military camp about the jail. Dog tents were pitched and the militia is prepared to stay an indefinite time. The grand jury has resumed its work on the lynching.

REVIEW OF TRADE.

Industrial and Commercial Progress Is Slow but Definite.

New York, Sept. 17.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Industrial and commercial progress is slow, but none the less definite. Low temperature and some injury to crops provided the only adverse influence of the week, and this has little effect upon manufacturers and traders, who have started to prepare for increased business. Buyers of dry goods, clothing and millinery are notably active in placing orders, and other staple lines also feel the effect of gradually expanding confidence. Even if the official crop estimates of September 1 have to be moderately reduced because of bad weather since that date, there is full compensation to growers in the enhanced prices, and the strength of securities indicates the faith of the financial world.

Many mills and furnaces have resumed because of new orders or adjustment of wage scales, and prices are steadier in most cases, with a general advance in footwear. It is not unusual to hear fall trade spoken of as fully equal to last year's, although collections are not as prompt at several cities. Freight traffic blockades are not as frequent as they were at this time in 1903, yet there is occasional complaint, and earnings in September were 5 per cent. larger than a year ago.

It is not yet possible to report any material expansion in the demand for steel products as a result of new price lists. Disappointment has been experienced by those who looked for an immediate rush of orders, yet the business is undoubtedly coming forward, several departments preparing for activity in a manner that denotes great confidence in the future.

Evidence that buyers are becoming apprehensive regarding the scarcity of cotton goods tends to encourage the feeling that the mills will soon be called upon for liberal shipments. Yet the present condition of this industry is no stronger. In the woolen division there was decided improvement in dress goods, and fair duplicate orders were received in other lines. Footwear manufacturers are still receiving supplementary orders for late fall shipment and plants are in full operation.

Failures this week amounted to 224 in the United States, against 219 last year, and 21 in Canada, compared with 19 a year ago.

IS WEARING AWAY.

A Brooklyn Scientist Delivers an Interesting Talk About Niagara Falls.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Sept. 17.—The international geographic congress met here Friday. Commander Robert Peary, of the United States navy, called the delegates to order and introduced the principal speaker, Prof. Grove Gilbert, of Brooklyn. Prof. Gilbert spoke on the formation of Niagara Falls and the gorge. His address was technical, but many things he said were of general interest. The American falls, he said, have receded much more slowly because there is no great depth of water at the base of the fall.

A picture taken of the Horseshoe fall in 1827 was shown. There has been a remarkable recession in 75 years. At the end of the glacial period, he said, the land was tilted as a result of the retreat of the ice. If this tilting continues Lake Erie will in the course of time find another outlet and Niagara river will be dry. This change would be wrought in possibly 3,500 years. The scientists left for Chicago last night.

PARKER'S VISIT TO GOTHAM.

A Number of Important Questions Were Settled.

New York, Sept. 17.—Several important questions were settled by the visit of Judge Alton B. Parker to New York and his conferences with democratic leaders. It was determined that Senator Gorman should have an active place in the campaign, but that Chairman Taggart was not to be superseded. The conference of Tammany leaders with Judge Parker resulted in the settlement of differences in Greater New York so far as they relate to national and state issues.

Pilgrimages of delegations to Esopus are being arranged by the national democratic committee. The delegations will be addressed by Judge Parker. This method of reaching the public was adopted at Canton, O., by the republicans during the campaign of 1896.

Judge Parker received 80 members og the Bankers' association in session in this city. There were no speeches.

Suicided in Jail.

White Plains, N. Y., Sept. 17.—John Wilkenson, under indictment for burglary and attempting to shoot Detective Riley, died in the county jail here Friday, after drinking a mixture of sulphur water and tobacco with suicidal intent. The sulphur was obtained from the heads of 500 matches which he had saved.

Dissolved the Injunction.

St. Louis, Sept. 17.—Judge McElhinney, of the Clayton circuit court, yesterday sustained a motion to dissolve the injunction obtained by Attorney General Crow, of Missouri, to prevent further exhibitions at the bull fighting ring in St. Louis county. Attorney General Crow says he will carry the case into the supreme court.

Feudists Battle.

Jacksonville, Fla., Sept. 17.—After two days of quiet in the country near Baxter, an attack was made late Thursday night on a posse which was guarding the home of William Baker, one of the participants in the alleged Duncan-Altman feud. One of the members, Ellis Dowling, was killed and several wounded. It was reported that Deputy Sheriff Thrift, in charge of the posse, was killed, but later advices indicate that he was merely wounded. A company of state militia was ordered to the scene and has already departed for Baxter,

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For General Assembly,
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For County Treasurer,
DR. EUGENE O. BARDWELL, Emporium.

What Has Mr. Blumle Done.

One significant feature of the local political situation is the utter failure of the strenuous attempts of the Independent to get up enthusiasm for Mr. Blumle by raising the "vindication" cry. We have already pointed out one reason for this failure; the people know that Mr. Blumle has not conducted his campaigns according to immaculate rules, and they think that Mr. Blumle, having twice enjoyed the honors and salary of Assemblyman, has received all that he can reasonably ask of the county.

There is another reason why the "vindication" cry has failed. The Democratic County Convention and the Independent have committed the blunder of putting this forward as the sole issue on which they demand Mr. Blumle's election. Even this issue itself would seem to imply some reference to Mr. Blumle's legislative record, but the pleas on Mr. Blumle's behalf thus far have been void of any reference to the actual record that he has made. Before it is in order to say much about "vindication," it is first necessary, to make it plain to the people that Mr. Blumle has shown himself an intelligent, efficient and faithful legislator. As a matter of fact the people know next to nothing about Mr. Blumle's record, and up to-date neither he nor his party organ have done the first thing to make the people familiar with his legislative acts. Had not the PRESS made a short reference to the Bounty Bill, the Independent would have maintained absolute silence even about that. The people of Cameron county are not all fools or children. The voters want an intelligent presentation of real facts and issues. If Mr. Blumle is to be "vindicated" it must first be made evident that as a legislator he is worth what is asked of the county. If, however, it should appear that as a legislator Mr. Blumle has not proved efficient the people will waste no time in reading "vindication" pleas.

We are sorry to see Mr. Blumle in this hopeless condition but do not think he is entirely to blame as he not only did not want to run but insisted that the party could not force him to again accept a nomination but alas! poor weak Mr. Blumle allowed them to put the halter around his neck and lead him forth, he knows not whither.

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☞The unexampled prosperity of this nation, since the Dingley Tariff went into effect, is the wonder of the world. Do you want "a change?"

What the "Independent" Man Says.

[A humble imitator of Hosea Biglow has submitted to us the following effusion, suggested by, and in part taken from, the well-known verses, "What John P. Robinson Thinks." A sentence or two from the explanatory remarks by Parson Wilbur, which accompany those verses, may not be out of place here, in order to show the "Independent" man that these present verses are not meant in the spirit of personal offense. "The position of the satirist," says the parson," is oftentimes one which he would not have chosen, had the election been left to himself. In attacking bad principles, he is obliged to select some individual who has made himself their exponent, and in whom they are impersonate." "The aim of the true satirist is not to be severe upon persons, but only upon error." "Truth is quite beyond the reach of satire. There is so brave a simplicity in her, that she can no more be made ridiculous than an oak or pine."]—EDITOR.

President Teddy's the man we all want,
He has made for himself a most glorious name;
In accomplishin' things he never sez "can't"
An' his deeds will stand high in the Temple of Fame;—
But the "Inde—
Pendent" man he
Sez we ought to spell President with a small p.

Our President stands fer a fair show fer all;
He sez in the game the cards must not be stacked:
The frenzied financiers are seekin' his fall,
Because through him many good chances they've lacked;—
An' the "Inde—
Pendent" man he
Sez he hezn't no use fer Pres'dent Teddee.

Congressman D. is a sensible man;
He stands pat on the tariff and sticks to his side;
He gets all the good measures passed that he can;
When a House vote is on, he don't try to hide;—
But the "Inde—
Pendent" man he
Sez he's goin' to vote agin' Congressman D.

Howard and Bardwell are goin' to win;
They stand on a platform high, solid an' broad;
Their methods are thoroughly honest an' clean,
An' clear of all petty corruption and fraud;—
But the "Inde—
Pendent" man he
Sez we've all got to vote fer Blumle an' C.

Wall, its a mercy we've got folks to tell us
The rights an' the wrongs of these matters, I vow,—
We've got county chairmen, an' other wise fellers
To drive the world's team, wen it gets in a slough;—
Fer the "Inde—
Pendent" man he
Sez the world 'll go right, ef he hollers Gee!

Jefferson's Principle.

What we said two weeks ago about Jefferson's ideas concerning liberty and government was perfectly clear and plain, as well as accurate. We repeat that the controlling tendency of Jefferson and his school was to the maintenance of individual rights at the highest possible point, as the Hamilton school was always ready to assert the national power to restrict individual rights for the general good. The agitations of the French Revolutionists met a sympathetic audience in the Jefferson party.

Workingmen who remember the years of bankruptcy between the coming and going out of the second Cleveland Administration, do not want "a change."

Before the great protective system was inaugurated by the Republican Party a very large number of articles now deemed by our people to be "necessaries of life" were luxuries of life.

Abraham Lincoln once said: "If my wife buys a dress in England for $20, we have the dress and England has the $20. If she buys it in this country, we have both the dress and the $20."

It is better for this country to feed, house and clothe our own labor in this country than to support foreign labor in other countries with our money. Under protection, we take care of our own, under free trade we give the benefit to foreign nations.

Doubt, apprehension and uncertainty are most to be avoided by the business world at this time. The plans of the Democracy, as outlined in this campaign, with respect to the destruction of the tariff, are certain to breed all these things.

Protection should be given to all pursuits, so that the largest variety of industries may be encouraged. The fact that only a percentage of the population is engaged in a particular industry is no reason why that industry should be destroyed, our country deprived of the art and other industries overcrowded with the displaced labor.

Our market is the cream of the earth. You can't enrich it by adding free trade skim milk to it.

If a tariff law has on the whole worked well, and if business has prospered under it and is prospering, would it not be better to endure some inequalities for a time than, by making changes to risk causing disturbance and perhaps paralysis in the industries of the country?

A Power For Good.

The pills that are potent in their action and pleasant in effect are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. W. S. Philpot, of Albany, Ga., says: "During a bilious attack I took one. Small as it was it did me more good than calomel, blue mass or any other pill I ever took and at the same time the effect was pleasant. Little Early Risers are certainly an ideal pill." Sold by R. C. Dodson.

A Continual Strain.

Many men and women are constantly subjected to what they commonly term "a continual strain" because of some financial or family trouble. It wears and distresses them both mentally and physically, affecting their nerves badly and bringing on liver and kidney ailments, with the attendant evils of constipation, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, low vitality and dispondency. They cannot, as a rule, get ride of this "continual strain," but they can remedy its health destroying effects by taking frequent doses of Green's August Flower. It tones up the liver, stimulates the kidneys, insures healthy bodily functions, gives vim and spirit to one's whole being, and eventually dispels the physical or mental distress caused by that "continual strain." Trial bottle of August Flower, 25c; regular size, 75. At all druggists.

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A women can't always conceal her age by covering it with a coat of paint.

Emergency Medicines.

It is a good convenience to have at hand reliable remedies for use in cases of accident and for slight injuries and ailments. A good liniment and one that is fast becoming a favorite, if not a household necessity is Chamberlain's Pain Balm. By applying it promptly to a cut, bruise or burn it allays the pain and causes the injury to heal in about one-third the time usually required, and as it is an antiseptic it prevents any danger of blood poisoning. When Pain Balm is kept at hand a sprain may be treated before inflamation sets in, which insures a quick recovery. For sale by L. Taggart.

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A Miraculous Escape.

A miraculous escape was made by a prominent citizen by not putting off but but taking in time that splendid remedy, Thompson's Barosma, Backache, Kidney and Liver Cure. Thompson's Barosma reduces all the inflamation, neutralizes the acid and dissolves gravel, carrying off all matter that is poisonous to the blood, stomach, heart, kidneys and liver. It is purely vegetable, pleasant to take and guaranteed to cure. For sale by R. C. Dodson.

It is often the barking of the crowd hat makes the dog mad.

A Boy's Wild Ride For Life.

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma; but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and Grip prove its matchless merit for all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at L. Taggart's drug store.

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"I have been troubled with my stomach for the past four years," says D. L. Beach, of Clover Nook Farm, Greenfield, Mass. "A few days ago I was induced to buy a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I have taken part of them and feel a great deal better." If you have any trouble with your stomach try a box of these Tablets. You are certain to be pleased with the result. Price 25 cents. For sale by L. Taggart.

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I have been in bed for four weeks with a **Sprained Back,** caused by too heavy lifting. I have tried almost everything to cure it. Seeing what Hamlins Wizard Oil had done for others I tried a bottle and in two days I was able to work.

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PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card or letter, personally.

Mr. Guy Klees is visiting friends and relatives at Williamsport.

Surveyor A. H. Shaffer was down from Ridgway over Sunday.

Leroy W. Gleason, of Driftwood, visited in town Tuesday evening.

Chas. W. Williams, of Gibson, transacted business in Emporium on Saturday.

Mr. Fred Julian visited St. Marys on Saturday and purchased a new carriage horse.

Vernon Heilman came home last Saturday to visit his best———father over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Grant, are visiting friends in Lycoming and Clinton counties this week.

Mrs. John A. McConnell went to Montgomery on Monday to attend the wedding of a cousin.

Miss Grace Walker left last Thursday for Boonville, N. Y., to visit with friends for several weeks.

Mrs. Tillie Washington's two sisters, from Williamsport and niece from Canada, visited her over Sunday.

Mr. Martin Gerg, of St. Marys, visited the PRESS office on Monday, accompanied by Mr. Joseph Friendel.

M. F. Lucore, of this place, is employed as clerk in Emporium Lumber Company's store at Keating Summit.

Mrs. Wm. Garrity and Mrs. B. W. Green go to Rock City to-day to visit with Mrs. J. P. Felt, who is stopping there.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Strayer were called to Jersey Shore on Saturday to attend the funeral of Mr. Blackwell, a dear friend.

Mr. Felix Rockwell, of Keating Summitt, has accepted a position with Emporium Milling Company at this place, as book-keeper.

Miss Isabel Johnson, extra hello lady at 'Phone Exchange, was on night duty the past week. A pleasant and accomodating lady.

Mrs. H. R. Klees received, on Monday, a telegram informing her of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. R. P. Ort, at Williamsport.

Postmaster Thos. M. Lewis, of Sterling Run, was calling on Emporium friends in town last Friday and made the PRESS sanctum a social call.

Mr. Jas. M. Davison, clerk in C. B. Howard Company's store, visited at Johnsonburg last Sunday, guest of his brother, E. C. Davison and family.

H. C. Kenley, St. Marys Gas Company's representative at this place, killed a large rattler near his residence, on the Shives farm, last Sunday.

Mr. B. S. Overdorf and bride, of Montgomery, Pa., will arrive in town this evening, to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clarke. They were married this noon.

J. L. Wheeler, proprietor of the Warner House, at Emporium, was in Ridgway Wednesday getting some pointers on hotel fixtures, etc., as he intends to purchase a new outfit for his hotel.—Ridgway Advocate.

Alton E. Housler spent Sunday at Dushore, Pa.

Mrs. H. W. Good is visiting her parents at Allentown.

Frank W. Taylor, who has been seriously ill, is improving.

Miss Ethel Waddington, who resides at Buffalo, is visiting her parents at this place.

Jas. L. Norie and family have returned from visiting Jos. Kaye and family at Westboro, Wis.

Mrs. Alton E. Housler and children, returned last Saturday from a delightful visit to Dushore, Pa.

Dr. E. O. Bardwell accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Schriever, as far as Williamsport last Friday,

The Independent editor professes to follow Webster's definitions. We wonder if Webster is also its authority on "authography?"

Rev. J. M. Robertson, Rector of Emmanuel Church, went to Buffalo on Wednesday to meet his family on their return from their summer vacation.

S. Wood Caldwell, of Lock Haven, called on his cigar trade here yesterday. He represents W. T. Young & Co., the popular Farrandsville firm.

Mr. Andrew Brady, Emporium's energetic iron master, has been quite seriously ill for several days, suffering with indigestion. Dr. Bardwell is attending him.

George Little, of Salamanca, N. Y., is now presiding over the liquid refreshment department of Warner House. He is a very gentlemanly young man.

Misses Jennie and May Gould returned on Tuesday from a months visit at Atlantic City and Philadelphia Miss May Gould will resume her work next Monday.

Mrs. T. F. Moore, last Saturday attended the funeral of an aunt, Mrs. Crandell, at Smethport. Several years ago she resided in Emporium. Her funeral was largely attended.

Chas. M. MacIntosh, a reliable gentleman, who has resided in Emporium for some time, leaves to-day on a trip to Clinton and Centre county, in the interest of a stone cutting firm. He reads the PRESS.

F. S. Coppersmith and wife and Chas. W. Rishel and wife left yesterday morning on Flyer for World's Fair, taking the Wabash Route from Buffalo. They expect to be absent ten days.

Miss Nina Bryan last Monday lost a breast pin, which while of no special value is highly prized by the owner, being an old family heir-loom The finder will confer a favor by leaving same at PRESS office.

Ridgway will in the near future enjoy the luxury of street car service.

The ladies of the Presbterian church will hold a rummage sale in the basement of the new church in the near future.

H. E. Shade, the new proprietor of St. Charles Hotel has taken possession. His opening night, Wednesday evening, was well attended. We predict for Mr. Shade a liberal patronage. Mr. Geo. Burkhart, the popular clerk at Commercial Hotel, is now with the St. Charles.

WANTED—Industrious man or women as permanent representative of big manufacturing company, to look after its business in this county and adjoining territory. Business successful and established. Salary $20.00 weekly and expenses. Salary paid weekly from home office. Expense money advanced. Experience not essential. Enclose self-addressed envelope, General Manager. Como Block, Chicago. 28 8t.

Nearly every organization of volunteer firemen in the state of Pennsylvania, as well from Western New York and Eastern Ohio, will be represented at the silver anniversary convention of the Pennsylvania State Firemen's Association, to be held at Erie, October 4-7. One-fare rates from all points in Pennsylvania and New Jersey and within a radius of 150 miles of New York and Ohio.

After being all torn up and dirt since the dynamite explosion the PRESS office expects to be right side up with care this week. Plasterers, brick masons, carpenters, painters and paper hangers have been having everything their way. Messrs. Pearsall & Clarke are putting on the finishing touches. When our windows get their centennial bath we shall be all ready for company. It usually requires a dynamite explosion to force house cleaning in a print shop.

SINNAMAHONING.

James Quiggle and family moved to Lock Haven last week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Johnson, last Saturday, a daughter.

The big mill will start up this week and will run until the creek freezes up.

Barclay Bros. have a log train hauling logs down the Fork this week.

Marshal English goes to Medix Run this week to open up a pool room.

Clyde Jordan has taken a job at Medix Run and moved his family there.

Mont. Peasley is away getting married and expects to be home Thursday.

C. W. Peasley has purchased a fine up right piano. Mr. P. enjoys good music.

About seventy-five of our people took in the excursion to Westfield last Thursday. All report having a pleafant trip.

Mesdames Joe M. Shafer, M. Robinson, and Mr. Geo. P. Shafer, are attending the World's Fair.

The Arabian Degree Klan will hold a Green Corn dance and social, Friday evening the 23d, on the old camp ground.

A large number of Sinnamahoning people are arranging to attend the County Fair at Emporium next month.

Mr. Josiah Berfield lost quite a lot of potatoes and cabbage this week. He is on the track of the thieves.

The water in the First Fork is getting worse all the time. It is about time the nuisance was attended to.

Letter to A. F. Vogt.

Emporium, Pa.

Dear Sir: Would you rather have your customers speak of your shoes as wearing well, as not running down at the heel, as turning water, and taking a shine, or wag their heads and say nothing?

We'd rather have ours, at long intervals, say, "We want some more paint, and we want Devoe." We know it isn't in human nature to paint very often; we don't expect them to come very often; don't want 'em to. All we want is to paint what they have to paint, whenever they paint it; the longer the time, the surer they are to come-back. There's business enough in the world; there are houses enough to paint; let 'em take their time.

If we were a shoemaker, we'd make shoes to last half a lifetime, and shoe the who'e town. Yours truly,

F. W. DEVOE & Co.

P. S. Murry & Coppersmith Co., sell our paint. 42.

Colonel Guffey Has no Hope of Victory.

[North American.]

Members of Colonel Guffey's Pennsylvania Democracy have been given to understand that the Colonel virtually has abandoned hope of Democratic success in the national campaign.

Naturally, no person of consequence among the Colonel's followers will stand for a public acknowledgment of such a deplorable state of affairs. Nevertheless, among the rank and file of the State organization it is generally accepted that Colonel Guffey's conspicuous absence from Esopus and the Democratic national headquarters in New York is the result of a firm conviction that the Parker-Davis ticket cannot win.

Though he managed to conceal it from all but his closest confidants until quite recently, the conviction of defeat is said to have come to Colonel Guffey more than a month ago. Through his extensive private business relations he learned in advance of many of his fellow-members of the National Committee that the much talked of "Parker sentiment" of "big business interests" was intended for convention purposes largely, and not for the campaign, and that, aside from Belmont group of financiers, there was to be little encouragement for Parker from the business men of the country.

Convinced that the chief object for which the Bryanites were overthrown at St. Louis could not be attained, Colonel Guffey's followers now understand that he practically gave up the fight even before Candidate Parker's disappointing speech of acceptance.

Guffey, it is said, believes that the Parker campaign has been very poorly managed, and particularly, that the failure of the Parker managers to make suitable terms with Tammany was a fatal blunder.

Last Low Rate Excursion to Buffalo and Niagara Falls for the Season.

On Sunday, September 29 the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run the last special low-rate excursion to Buffalo and Niagara Falls for the present season. Round-trip tickets, good going only on train indicated, and good returning on all regular trains stopping at stations named, September 29 and 30, but not good in Pullman sleeping or parlor cars, will be sold at rates indicated:

	Train Leaves.	Rate.
Emporium	8.25 a. m.,	$2 50
Emporium Junction	8.30 "	2 50
Shippen	8.42 "	2 50
Austin (B. & S. R. R.)	8.00 "	3 00
Keating Summit	9 05 "	2 50
Coudersoort (C. & P. A. R.R.)	8.28 "	2 57
Port Allegany	9.27 "	2 25
Larabee	9.47 "	2 15
Eldred	9.51 "	2 00
Buffalo	Ar. 12.45 p. m.	.....
Niagara Falls	" 1.40 "	.....

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Don't pay $1.50 a gallon for Linseed Oil (worth 60 cents) which you do when you buy other paints in a can with a paint label on it.

Many houses are well painted with four gallons of L. & M. and three gallons of Linseed Oil mixed therewith.

Wears and covers like gold.

These Celebrated Paints are sold by Harry S. Lloyd. 4

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Read This!

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Full Upper or Lower Set of Teeth, - - - $7.00
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MR. H. M. McHENRY, I. C. S. Rep.,
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DEAR SIR:—Some time ago I completed a Course in Steam Engineering. The training received has been a great benefit to me; I have been promoted in positions and wages several times since enrolling. I recommend the schools to any young man who has to work but wishes an education.

Yours truly,
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DAY'S

THE SATISFACTORY STORE.

Fresh fruits and vegetables are plenty now and prices reasonable. Those who contemplate buying for preserving will do well not to delay too long. Any orders left with this house will have its best attention. First quality goods at close prices is what we offer. Seconds, of course can be had for less money, but we don't handle them, except by special order. If wanted let us know and will get them.

Grocery Specials

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

This week

California Hams, (trimmed shoulders) Five to ten pounds average, lb	11C
Fancy Jersey Sweet Potatoes, per peck	25C
15c Tall can Columbia River Salmon	12C
Banner Lye, can 3 cans for 25c	10C
Laundry Starch—in bulk lb. six pounds for 25c.	5C
25 Lb. Bag Sugar Best Granulated.	$1.40

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The oyster season is now on and the weather being cool shall endeavor to have a supply of the best Baltimore stock from this on; also fresh Fish each Thursday. Leave your orders for delivery Friday morning.

Cauliflower, Peppers, Pickling Onions Pure Spices and Pickling Vinegar All that you need for preserving and pickling.

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JOHNNY'S SORROW.

Am I sorry for the czar's boy?
  Gee whiz! You bet I am!
He'll never have the pleasure
  Of eatin' bread and jam
And gittin' it all over
  His chin, the same as me—
'Cause they'll be servants watchin'
  Wherever he will be.

He'll never go a-fishin'
  The way I do, I'll bet;
They'll keep him in the pallus
  Fer fear he might git wet,
Or git his fingers dirty,
  Or else fall in somewhere
Or stop a bomb somebody
  Sent whizzin' through the air.

He can't go to his grandpa's
  And slide from stacks of hay
And drive the cows to water
  And whoop around all day,
And have pie fer his breakfast
  And pancakes from the pan,
With doughnuts in between times,
  As if he was a man.

I'm sorry for the czar's boy;
  They'll watch him day and night
And never let him rassel
  Or climb a tree or fight;
He can't go to his cousin'
  And help them to raise Ned
And have the fun of sleepin'
  About four in a bed.
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Record-Herald.

KISMET

By EARL MARBLE

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WHEN Henry Appleby went down into Mexico to superintend the working of one of the big mines in which he had an interest, he left behind him a lovely girl, Estelle Marston, between whom and himself a tacit understanding existed of a future engagement, though no formal love-making or positive engagement had been reached. Appleby had been a college athlete, built almost like a gladiator, and had dark gray eyes and dark brown hair, a firm, but kindly mouth, a positive chin, and a manner which was usually reserved, but which could be aggressive if occasion authorized or warranted. He was a man among men, but was inclined to weakness when the wiles of women encompassed him.

Estelle Marston was a spiritual dream. Blue-eyed, light-haired, fair-skinned, yet healthy, volatile, and happy, as happiness goes, she was the ideal of more than one young man, and many were the smiles of satisfaction when Appleby went away, and, as many of them thought, left a better chance for them to win the fair Estelle.

But she was the star of Appleby's thoughts, and her spiritual nature appealed to him constantly, acting as a lodestone to keep his heart true to the maguet. She appealed to his better nature, as a pure woman of that type invariably does when a man becomes interested in her.

So matters rested between them. Though no engagement existed, each expected the other to be as true and faithful till they should meet again.

Appleby attended strictly to his work in and for the mine, and by his management the output was large and profitable. He saw and heard but little of what was going on in a social way, except among the half a dozen American and English families who lived in the vicinity, all of them interested with him in the mine. There were few young people among them, and these not at all to his liking. Somehow he had got the habit, whenever he met a lady, of comparing her with the fair Estelle, of course invariably to the detriment of any of those thus compared with her. He was agreeable, and that was all. He made polite calls, played out-door games when asked, and was looked upon as a desirable but impossible young man.

There came a change, at which his immediate circle was dumbfounded, and the rest of the population shrugged its shoulders and awaited developments.

He had attended a native ball one evening, and noticed a figure rather taller than the usual squat and dumpy ones surrounding her, and had inquired about her.

"Hispano senorita," he was told.

His informant took it for granted that an introduction was desired, where one took the trouble to inquire, and, seizing him by the arm, took him almost by force to a group of which the girl was the center, and introduced him.

What followed, Appleby himself scarcely remembered afterward. He danced with her, he walked through the courtyard conservatory with her, he talked with her, he applauded her and his heart leaped with delight as she danced a fancy castanet Spanish dance, and he had eyes, ears and tongue for no one else during the evening.

That some of the young natives muttered imprecations on him for his monopoly of her did not concern him.

"I do not care," he said, recklessly. "She is worth taking desperate chances for."

He asked permission to call and see her, which was granted, rather more than willingly, he remembered afterward.

"I am live with distant relatives," she told him when he called. "Do not mind them—they are nobody—I not introduce you. My father one fine grandee; my mother, Hispano senora—Santa Maria! both dead, poor souls! He was so tall and stately, like you, senor, only more slender; she was graceful, like what you call it—a willow—and I with such a canaille!"

Nothing could have been more certain to win Appleby's attention, if not indeed his love, than this sort of talk. He had a theory, that, like parent, like child. The law of heredity, in his eyes, was one in which he most devoutly believed. While he could amuse himself at a ball, or in a flirtation, either innocent or otherwise, with such a person as this Senorita Mercedes, he could not think of going any further with one of the race if her father was squat, and her mother fat and dumpy. The senorita had fathomed him—whether unconsciously or otherwise, may not be known. But probably this was not her first love affair, and possibly the opinions and acts of some other Americano had opened her seemingly innocent eyes very wide.

And those eyes!

"How glorious-" exclaimed Appleby often to himself, as he contemplated their luster and their tenderness, when spending the evening and not a small portion of the night in the parlor of her relatives, or with her at some of the native balls. "Her eyes would woo one down to hades!" was his rather profane expression; and later in the night, away from their seductive wiles, his mind would revert to other eyes, and he would say: "Nothing can save me from their witchery, but those other eyes away back in New England, so full of Heaven that they could woo me back again."

Did he wish to have them woo him back? In the mines, and in the quiet of his own apartments, yes; when in the presence of the Lady Mercedes, as he had begun to call her, in which he was encouraged to do so by the girl herself, no.

His love-making had grown to dimensions far beyond the casting of glances and the pressure of hands.

He had been picking up considerable Spanish, and she was teaching him more, in addition to teaching him to make love to her.

"Poco amado," he said to her one evening as they sat in the little Mexican parlor.

"No, no—no poco, no little," she replied. "I tall, stately, fit for illustre amante such as you," rising to her feet, and displaying her really fine proportions to their best effect. "Yes, I little by the side of grand senor like you," as he seized her in his arms, and she threw back her head and cast at him one of those looks which it would be difficult for any man to resist when his blood was inflamed with passion. "I look up to you; look up to no one else in all the world. You look down on poco amado; no one but you do so."

As she threw her arms about him, while he clasped her still more closely, she buried her face in his neck, and began to cry hysterically.

The rest was easy, even to the forgetting of Appleby's lode-star to the far north for the time being.

"Yo carino vosotros," he said, as he took his departure that evening. "Adios."

As he turned from the door he noticed that the squat Mexican and his fat, dumpy wife, to whom she had referred as her distant relatives, stood just outside, where they had seen the leave-taking, and heard his endearment spoken in Spanish. They turned away, seemingly having taken no notice.

"I say, Appleby," said the only one of his associates at the mine, who presumed on speaking of such matters to him, "you will pardon me, old man, but I have strong reasons for asking. How much are you committed to that Mexican girl with whom you are flirting so desperately, and about whom the entire town is talking?"

Appleby flushed, and at first was disposed to resent the remark.

"I am afraid it has gone beyond a mere flirtation. Besides, she is a Spanish girl, not Mexican."

"Spanish grandmother! Do her father and mother look like Spaniards?"

"I have never seen them. She told me they were dead."

"Why, they are not dead, and you see them every time they watch you come and go from the house."

"Those old people; she told me, were distant relatives."

"They are her father and mother. Do you want such a looking old crone as that woman around your house, to do the honors, a dozen years from now, if you are foolish enough to marry this adventuress?"

"Are you telling me the truth?"

"I am. Everybody knows it but you."

"What shall I do. The old man would probably kill me if I should attempt to break with the girl."

"There is but one thing to do. Resign your position here quietly, and take the stage to-morrow night for the north. You can catch the train at some station 25 or 30 miles away. They will watch the trains, but will not think of the stage."

"All right. Thank you. I shall be glad to get away from her wiles. The sweetness was beginning to cloy, excepting when I was tasting it."

"Take no baggage. We will send that on afterward."

The next night, instead of making his usual call at the home of Mercedes, Appleby, disguised as a rough miner, boarded the stage, and the driver cracked his whip and started northward.

Half a mile on the way, just in the edge of the town, stood the home of Mercedes, where he had passed so many happy hours in the company of his enchantress. He sat well back in the stage, with his hat pulled down over his eyes, to avoid recognition.

Directly opposite the house, the stage was halted by a musical feminine voice, the owner of which opened the door of the vehicle, and gave a glance inside.

Then she got in, and gave the order to the driver to go ahead.

"Perfido novio!" she exclaimed. "You go without Hispano senorita? No! Poco amada go too. Yes. Yo carino vosotros, illustre amante! You would not break my heart? No!"

And she threw her arms about his neck passionately as the stage rolled away into the darkness.

Until a few years ago little attention was paid in Germany to athletic sports. To-day tennis and football are said to be more popular than in the United States.

Sir Thomas is apt to find that the cup is still just as heavy as it was when he last hefted it.

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Our Summer Goods

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STORE ON THE "RIALTO."

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Our line of Summer Dress Goods is selling remarkably fast, considering the cold weather we have had and we have a good assortment left that are selling rapidly. Do not wait until the best pieces are picked out before looking them over.

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Our stock is complete of White Goods, such as Persian Lawns, India Linens, Nain Sooks, Dimities, etc. Prices from 12c to 50c.

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Everything in Trimmings, such as Val-Laces, Allover Laces, SwissEmbroideries, etc., from 15c to $1.00 per yard.

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We have just the Wrapper for hot weather, with low neck and short sleeves, made from calico to best quality percale, in all styles and colors; prices from $1.00 to $2.00 each.

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C. B. HOWARD & CO.

NEW YORK REPUBLICANS.

Higgins Is Nominated for Governor of the Empire State.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 16.—The republican state convention adjourned at 2:30 p. m. Thursday after nominating unanimously the following ticket for state officers:

For Governor—Frank W. Higgins, ofCattaraugus.

Lieutenant Governor—M. Linn Bruce, of New York.

Secretary of State—John F. O'Brien, of Clinton.

Attorney General—Julius M. Mayer, of New York.

Comptroller—Otto Kelsey, of Livingston.

State Treasurer—John G. Wallenmaier, of Erie.

State Engineer and Surveyor—Henry A. Van Alstyne, of Columbia.

Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals—Edgar M. Cullen, (democrat), of Kings.

Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals—William E. Teirner, (republican), of Monroe.

The unanimous action of the convention in the nomination of Lieut. Gov. Frank W. Higgins for the governorship was made possible by the withdrawal of ex-Lieut. Gov. Timothy L. Woodruff at the very last moment, as the convention was preparing for the roll call called for by the resolution of the Kings county delegation.

It was only when as he said it became "obvious to his practiced ear" that the convention was almost solidly against him; after his name had been placed in nomination in a speech by William A. Prendergast, of Brooklyn, in which the management of the Higgins campaign was bitterly attacked, that Mr. Woodruff took the platform, withdrew his name from further consideration, moved that the nomination of Higgins be made unanimous and pledged the fullest effort of himself and his Kings county forces in aid of the ticket about to be nominated. There was no contest whatever over any other place upon the ticket.

There was no slight anywhere in the proceedings to Senator Platt save in the refusal of the convention to accede to his declared wish for the nomination of Woodruff.

Every mention of his name was enthusiastically cheered and again and again the whole convention arose with deafening shouts to do him honor.

Gov. Odell, too, as governor and chairman of the state committee was cheered at every turn.

Senator Depew, in presenting for renomination the name of Secretary of State John F. O'Brien, took occasion to answer some of the democratic arguments in the speech of Congressman Bourke Cockran Wednesday night at Tammany Hall.

LOSS ABOUT $500,000.

The Wind Shifted and Halifax Escaped Destruction by Fire.

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 16.—A fortunate shift of wind saved Halifax from destruction by fire yesterday. Nevertheless the city suffered a loss of half a million dollars in the business part of the water front, and the progress of the flames was only stayed by the dynamiting of a dozen buildings by the sailors from the fleet and soldiers from the garrison.

Between 3 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon when the fire was at its height and a fearful southerly gale was pushing it straight toward the heart of the business center, consternation reigned throughout the entire city. Shortly after 4 o'clock, however, the wind suddenly shifted to the west and turned the flames along the wharves and warehouses.

There the fire raged on lower Water street, practically beyond control, until 7 o'clock last night, when 200 sailors with torpedo apparatus landed from H. M. S. Ariadne and Indefatigable and with the assistance of 200 troops from the garrison checked the further progress of the flames by removing, with the aid of dynamite, a dozen small buildings.

The fire consumed six wharves, two coal piers, two hotels, a dozen warehouses and a number of retail shops.

During the fire a large tree fell, killing Flora Ring, aged 28 years, and wounding two others.

One fireman was fatally injured by a live wire, while another was badly hurt by falling slate.

The burned district, which covered about two acres, was one of wooden buildings three and four stories high, many of them built years ago when Halifax merchants dealt heavily in fish. The buildings were saturated with fish oil and burned fiercely.

A Big Day at the World's Fair.

St. Louis, Sept. 16.—"St. Louis day," the most imposing of all the special days in the history of the Louisiana Purchase exposition, was celebrated yesterday. Business was suspended in St. Louis. The streets were deserted. St. Louis, practically en masse, attended the exposition and and excursion trains augmented the attendance. Mississippi day, farmers' day and Texas day also were incorporated in the general celebration.

Trial Postponed Until December.

Rising Sun, Ind., Sept. 16.—After hearing arguments on the motion for a continuance, Judge Cornell yesterday continued the Gillespie murder trial until December 7. The attorneys for the defense claimed it would be impossible to have all of their witnesses in court before that time.

Thief was Captured in a Hospital.

Marion, Ind., Sept. 16.—William J. Deevy, a detective of the New York police department, came here Thursday in search of William McKinsey, who is wanted on a charge of having robbed New York people of $30,000 worth of jewelry on July 4. McKinsey was seized with a hemorrhage on the street two weeks ago and was taken to the Marion hospital for treatment. The detective went to the hospital and McKinsey was found. McKinsey acknowledged that he was the fugitive and said the jewelry had been sold in New York, Chicago and St. Louis.

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The Steel pipe is made of cold rolled, heavy sheet steel, riveted so at to leave it smooth inside. The pipe is covered with a preparation that makes it rust proof. The wood pipe is made of staves matched and grooved, bound with heavy iron bands, treated chemically against rust and coated with a preparation that will stand climate and will practically exclude moisture. The entire length is of even diameter. Obstructions will not lodge in it. Manufactured in all sizes up to SIXTY INCHES.

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To make the very best soap, simply dissolve a can of *Banner Lye* in cold water, melt 5½ lbs. of grease, pour the Lye water in the grease. Stir and put aside to set.

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Banner Lye is pulverized. The can may be opened and closed at will, permitting the use of a small quantity at a time. It is just the article needed in every household. It will clean paint, floors, marble and tile work, soften water, disinfect sinks, closets and waste pipes.

Write for booklet "*Uses of Banner Lye*"—free.

The Penn Chemical Works, Philadelphia

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A cure guaranteed if you use

D. Matt. Thompson, Supt. Graded Schools, Statesville, N. C., writes: "I can say they do all you claim for them." Dr. S. M. Deroe, Raven Rock, W. Va., writes: "They give universal satisfaction." Dr. H. D. McGill, Clarksburg, Tenn., writes: "In a practice of 23 years, I have found no remedy to equal yours." Price, 50 Cents. Samples Free. Sold by Druggists. MARTIN RUDY, LANCASTER, PA.

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THE young man whose portrait is printed above is a living, breathing illustration of the success which can be obtained by practical faith and persistent and judicious investment in newspaper advertising. Mr. Kramer, only a few years ago, without capital, started, in a modest way, advertising in newspapers the merit of No-To-Bac, the original guaranteed tobacco-habit cure, building up dollar by dollar an enormous mail order business for that successful specific. His original line, "Don't tobacco spit and smoke your life away," through the medium of newspapers, became known throughout the English-speaking world, and brought in unprecedented results. The secret of his advertising method is "reinvestment," which is practically "doubling his bet" from day to day. When Mr. Kramer ran his first little advertisement ten years ago his capital was less than $100. He wrote the order on a rented typewriter operated by himself, and his advertising appropriation was $5.00. Three years ago he originated the famous Cascarets Candy Cathartic that "work while you sleep," and this year he employs over 200 people, including twenty stenographers and typewriters and a system of ten graphophones. His daily newspaper advertising investment is over $300,000 a year, and he is counted as one of the greatest practical, because successful, authorities on the science of advertising in the world. His delight is to see the working of the enormous advertising machine which he set in motion a few years ago, and his ambition is best illustrated by an expression made use of to a friend recently. He said: "My boy, we'll get rich when we make money faster than we can spend it for advertising."

Besides the No-To-Bac and Cascarets enterprises, Mr. Kramer scored another great business success in the Magno-Mud baths of Indiana Mineral Springs, Ind., the only place where this wonderful treatment for rheumatism can be obtained. The place, soon after No-To-Bac began securing recognition, was a mere wilderness in the hills of Indiana, but nature had provided the material, mud and lithia water, for the cure, and Mr. Kramer appreciated its possibilities at first sight. To-day there is at the Indiana Mineral Springs a $250,000 plant of hotels, bathhouses and cottages, electric-lighted, steam-heated, with beautiful park surroundings, patronized by the very best people of Chicago and St. Louis, as well as thousands of prominent guests from all other parts of the country.

Mr. Kramer is only 36 years old and his energy and vitality have not yet reached their climax. Many leading business men of America have been glad to join in his enterprises, displaying the highest confidence in the great future which this young man's remarkable advertising genius and capacity for work will bring forth.

CLAIMS CREDIT FOR HEIR.

As Recompense for Her Advice, Dr. Mary Walker, Asks Czar to Stop War with Japan.

Dr. Mary Walker is claiming credit for the fact that the czar's new baby is a son instead of a daughter. The doctor says if she had not volunteered her advice there would have been another grand duchess in the palace instead of a czarevitch.

All that Dr. Walker wants of the czar in return for the favor she has done is that he stop the war with Japan.

"Give Japan the harbor," Dr. Walker has written from Oswego to the czar.

She does not specify which harbor, but pretty nearly any harbor will do, she thinks.

The following is a copy of an open letter Dr. Walker has written to the czar:

"To the Czar of All Russia—Dear Sir: In congratulating yourself and the mother of your son, I most respectfully and earnestly request you to make peace with Japan.

"Give Japan the harbor.

"But for my professional advice you would not now be the father of a son heir. The world will rejoice and say that you would gladly have done this one year since as the price of the assurance of a son.

"I did not give information that has resulted so gratifyingly for the purpose of asking a reward of any nature, but circumstances are such at the present time that I expect you to grant therein above asked action.

"MARY E. WALKER, M. D."

HAS MONSTER PIGEON FARM

Pennsylvanian Has 10,000 Birds—Arrangements Perfect and Success Follows Experiment.

E. C. Cummings, of Worcester township, is conducting a pigeon farm on which there are now 10,000 birds. Mr. Cummings says that his is the largest lot of birds that are kept housed on one farm. He changed from chickens to pigeons, as the latter are 50 per cent. more profitable.

There are four houses on the farm, two 160 feet long and two 300 feet long. The buildings are heated by hot water, but cold houses are to be tried. The houses have cement floors and are divided into pens, with capacities varying from 25 to 75 pairs.

The greatest care is exercised to keep the farm in the best sanitary condition, the houses being thoroughly cleaned weekly. Two men are required for the purpose and when not engaged in cleaning operations one waters and one feeds the birds. Carbolic acid and coal oil are used for spraying and these two agencies keep the birds healthy.

About 500 squabs are sold weekly, the young birds finding a ready market in New York at five dollars a dozen. The varieties raised here are homers, dragons, runts and crosses. Some of the runts measure 40 inches from tip to tip of wings, while there are many measuring 35 inches.

The farm covers 16 acres and represents an investment of $25,000.

SUMMER GIRL'S FAILURE.

Rigged Herself Up to Make a Hit, But Her Finery All Wilted.

Once upon a time there was a girl who decided that she would be the real thing in the summer girl line, relates a St. Paul Globe writer. Before the snow melted she was planning a wardrobe that would bring down any summer youth from a millionaire prospective to a Dry Goods clerk. She embroidered all her shirt waists by hand, and made seven sets of turn-overs before the summer styles were settled, only to learn that they were wearing 1830 yokes. She bought a white silk drop skirt for her mull dress, and then her poor old mother had to go without a new summer hat so that daughter could have the real thing in a lingerie hat to go with the silk drop skirt. Father was driven to the verge of nervous prostration by the domestic discussions of skirt yokes and the best thing in color combinations, and brother Jimmy lost his half-holiday chasing down cerise near-silk when she wanted cherry lining for her lawn dress.

The clerks at the stores all got to know her—she had so many goods exchanged—and when at last she pulled out for a Jersey town with two trunks and a dress suit case her old father said: "This is Heaven," and her mother stopped taking nerve cure.

But the girl found she was up against it after all. Her dresses faded and drooped in the sea air and so did her hair. Sitting up nights sewing had made her sallow, and she squinted from doing fine embroidery. The girl who made a hit with the few summer boys in sight wore the same linen dress three days running and had only one party dress to her name. But she had the real thing in eyes and dimples. So the girl who had meant to be It said she hated the seashore, and packed back to town to see a beauty doctor.

Moral: Fine feathers may make fine birds, but all women are not birds.

New Kind of Rubber.

During the past few months discovery has been made that there are in the interior of Brazil vast forests of trees from which can be produced a high grade of rubber known as "manicoba." The area is said to be very large, but cannot be defined, as the region has not been fully explored. The attention called to the first discovery has led to further exploration, with the result that from time to time comes notice of other sections where like trees occur in profusion. The output of manicoba rubber has rapidly increased during the last few years and bids fair to be a large item in the exports of Brazil.

Hug of the Russian Bear.

Japan, says the Chicago Tribune, is finding out that there is something terrific in the hug of a wounded bear.

Human Nature.

He—There goes a man who hasn't a friend in the world.

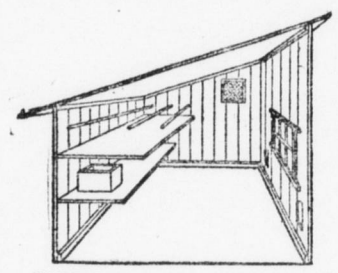
She—Poor fellow. How did he lose his money.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

AGRICULTURAL HINTS.

CHEAP POULTRY HOUSES.

Valuable Suggestions from an Illinois Lady Who Has Made Hen-Keeping a Success.

I keep about 300 fowls and have several small houses such as shown in accompanying illustration. The houses are built, some of pine and some of oak lumber. They are 7 feet wide and 10 feet long, 7 feet high in front and 4½ feet at back. Sills are 2x4-inch oak, caps 2x4-inch pine. They have one window of six lights 24x30 inches in front, 3 feet from the ground; one small window without glass, but a wooden shutter, 2

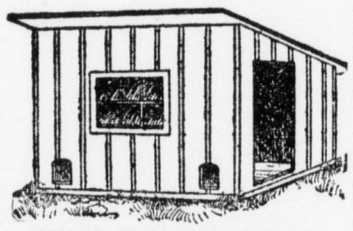


INTERIOR VIEW OF HOUSE.

feet square, in end opposite door, for air and ventilation; two exits for fowls in front. Have platform length of house 3 feet wide under perches to catch droppings. This is kept covered with dirt or dust.

Between dropping boards and floor is a platform for nests. All platforms and perches are removable. Houses have earth floors. Each house has one large door placed in the end, close to the front. The exits are 12x16 inches, placed close to the ground. On stormy days the door is kept closed, the fowls going in and out through the exits. The windows have strong, fine meshed wire nailed on the outside.

These houses are about 5 rods apart, and there are no fences between them,



HOUSE FROM THE OUTSIDE.

yet there is little trouble in keeping the flocks separate. Each house shelters 60 hens, and I keep ten cockerels with four flocks. They have unlimited range. The eggs hatch better than when a cock is kept for every 12 or 15 hens. The interior of the house is also shown. The platform is whitewashed and dust or sand is sprinkled on it. The perches are 2 or 3 inches in diameter. Between the floor and dropping platform is another platform 2 feet wide on which the nests are placed.

The nests are sometimes boxes made of short pieces of board, but usually are small boxes bought at the grocery for 5 cents each. In the corner opposite the door is usually a barrel of road dust. The hens use it for a dust bath, and I use it for the dropping boards. They also use it for a nest box, which I disapprove of.

The cost of two houses was as follows: Lumber, $7.85 (the pine lumber was second-hand, and I got it for half price); nails, 30 cents; glass and putty, 69 cents; hinges and locks, 40 cents; paper, cement and nails, $7.25; freight on paper and cement, $1.25; total of $17.74 for material; six days' labor at $1 per day would add $6, making the total cost $23.74, or not quite $12 for each. Two other houses made of new lumber and battens instead of paper, which cost $20.25; oil and paint, $1.13; 14 pounds nails, 56 cents; three windows, $1.05; wire netting, $1.05; hinges, locks and hasps, 59 cents; 6 days' labor, $6, making the total cost $31.04, or $15.52 each.—Mrs. E. E. Datton, in Orange Judd Farmer.

FINE FEED FOR THE HENS.

Unthreshed Grain Produces Results That Will Surprise Those Who Have Never Fed It.

Save a small amount of unthreshed grain for the poultry. You will save the thresher's bill on it, and the poultry will even pay you a nice profit for the privilege of working it over for their own benefit, by an increased supply of eggs, and thriftiness and growth among the flock. Wheat is best for this purpose, but rye and oats are also excellent. If so desired, you can select some of your poorest grain for this purpose, as the main object is to furnish the poultry with some interesting employment. Save enough of the unthreshed grain to furnish one good-sized bundle for every 30 hens in the flock daily. Whole grain can with advantage be scattered among the straw. It will prevent the greedy ones from glutting themselves, while the small and weak ones have a chance to get their share of the grain. After the straw has been thoroughly worked over and all grain picked out, it should be all raked up and removed before bringing in a fresh bundle. If possible, the unthreshed grain should be placed under a shed or in a barn to keep dry. If unthreshed grain cannot be obtained, dry fresh straw and chaff will be a good substitute to sprinkle the grain among, if frequently changed, but it will not give as good results as the unthreshed grain, owing to the amount of healthy exercise which the unthreshed grain will furnish.—Midland Farmer.

MAKING TOO LIGHT OF IT.

Drug Clerk Who Needed to Learn the First Principles of His Business.

"I notice," said the chemist to his assistant, in a Smith's Weekly yarn, "that a gentleman came in with a prescription, and that you took it and gave him the stuff in about three minutes. What do you mean by that?"

"It was only a little carbolic acid and water," replied the assistant. "I simply had to pour a few drachms of acid into the bottle, and fill it up with water."

"Never mind if you had only to do that," the chemist declared. "Don't you know that every prescription must take at least half an hour to prepare, or the customer will think he isn't getting anything for his money?

"When a prescription for salt and water or peppermint and cough sirup is handed to you, you must look doubtfully, as if it were very hard to make up. Then you must bring it to me, and we will both read it and shake our heads. After that you go back to the customer and ask him if he wants it to-day. When he says yes you answer that you'll make a special effort.

"Now, a patient appreciates a prescription that he's had so much trouble over, and when he takes it he derives some benefit from it. But don't you do any more of that three-minute prescription business, my boy, if you want to become a first-class chemist."

Always Food for Laughter.

When Johnny was a child they laughed at the ridiculous things he said. When he was a youth they laughed at his half-baked opinions. When he was a man they laughed at his wisdom because they couldn't grasp it. When he was old they laughed at him for a crank. There is always some one to laugh, and this is a jolly world.—Newark (N. J.) News.

Not a Hamper.

The Lady—Why are you so melancholy, my poor man?

Gritty George—Ah, lady, it's a sad story. When I was a baby I was left in a basket.

"That was sad."

"Yes, m-ma'am, and it was a wash basket."—Chicago Daily News.

The millionarie may smoke only dollar cigars himself, but he has to smell the five-cent cigars that other men are smoking.—Somerville Journal.

The better front we put up, the more people want to know what is behind it.—Puck.

The Connecticut tobacco crop around Hartford this year is valued at $2,760,000 and most of it will be burned, without insurance.—Boston Globe.

The elder sister must go to the beach to get her complexion browned. As for the little brother, he can get well tanned at home.—N. O. Times-Democrat.

When we make a poor guess we realize that to err is human, but when we make a good one we are convinced that foresight is a matter of intellectual superiority.—Cassell's Magazine.

A Boston man has received $40,000 damages for suffering a mental shock. It might be a good get-rich-quick scheme to cultivate the sensitive mind and be on the lookout for jars.—Boston Globe.

We believe the next census will show a marked increase in Atlanta's population, in spite of the fact that there are 83 automobiles in the city, several of which are run by amateurs.—Atlanta Journal.

"It takes mighty little to make some folks proud," said Uncle Eben. "I has seen men struttin' aroun' an' puttin' on airs jes' 'cause dey's been lucky enough to keep f'um gettin' arrested."—Washington Star.

"Yes, siree," said the old-time politician, decisively, "honesty is the best policy in politics as well as in everything else. There never was a time yet that I ever tried honestly to get money out of the public that I didn't succeed.—Washington Star.

Instructive Experience.

This afternoon the pretty little girl of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Wilds drank a quantity of gasoline. The little one has learned something about gasoline, and the parents are to be congratulated on the recovery of the little one, which is numbered among the sweet and bright babies of Arizona—the land of pretty babies.—Tombstone Epitaph.

With the Majority.

"Now, gentlemen, do you think this is or is not a case for operation?" asked an eminent surgeon of his class of six students as they walked the wards in a city hospital.

One by one the young men diagnosed the case, and all of them answered in the negative.

"Well, gentlemen," announced the surgeon, "you are all wrong, and I shall operate to-morrow."

"No, you won't!" exclaimed the patient, as he rose in his bed, "six to one is a good majority. Gimme my clothes."—N. Y. Press.

New Tourist Sleeping Car Service to California.

On August 15th the Missouri Pacific Railway will establish a daily through Tourist Sleeping Car Line, St. Louis to San Francisco. Train will leave St. Louis daily 11:59 p. m. The route will be via Missouri Pacific Railway to Pueblo, Colorado, thence via Denver and Rio Grande to Salt Lake City and Ogden and Southern Pacific to San Francisco and Los Angeles. This is the famous scenic line of the world—through the picturesque Rocky Mountains. The service and accommodations will be up to date and will be personally conducted.

Very low rates will be in effect from August 15th to September 10th via Missouri Pacific Railway to the principal Pacific Coast points and return. Also Low Rate Colonist one way tickets will be sold from September 15th to October 15th. For rates, information and reservation of berths, apply to nearest representative of the Missouri Pacific Railway, or address H. C. Townsend, G. P. & T. A., St. Louis, Mo.

Little Mixed.

"George," remarked Mrs. Spofkin, "I shouldn't think them baseball magnets would make any money. I see their men is always going out on strikes."—Brooklyn Life.

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When a man says he can't make a speech he don't grow angry if some one contradicts him.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

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They who say that beautifying is foolish dispute their own eyes—Chicago Record-Herald.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. Thos Robbins, Norwich, N. Y. Feb. 17, 1900.

There is a foolish corner even in the brain of a sage.—Chicago Journal.

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for the growing of early strawberries and early vegetables. Every dealer in such products should address a postal card to the undersigned at DUBUQUE, IOWA, requesting a copy of "Circular No. 12."

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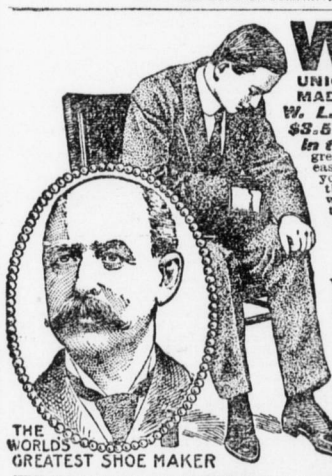

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The following described real estate, to-wit:

All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Borough of Emporium, County of Cameron and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the southeast corner of lot No. 218 in the plan hereinafter mentioned; thence southeast along the north side of Third street one hundred feet to the corner of lot No. 222; thence northerly along the west line of said lot No. 222 one hundred and forty-five and 14-100 feet to a point; thence westerly to the east line of lot No. 218; thence southerly one hundred and forty-four and 45-100 feet to the place of beginning. Being the southerly one-half parts of lots numbered 220 and 221 as laid down on the map or general plan of the said Borough. The said premises being bounded on the south by Third street, on the east by lot No. 222, on the north by the remaining parts of lots Nos. 220 and 221 and on the west by the south half of lot No. 218.

Having erected thereon one frame house one and one-half stories high, 57½ by 16½ feet, with porch and bay window, with wing attached 20½ by 15½, containing ten rooms. Also one frame stable 12 by 16 feet, usual outbuildings, nine fruit trees and two grape arbors thereon.

Seized and taken in execution and to be sold as the property of FRANK W. WHITE, deceased, at the suit of THE KEYSTONE STATE BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION.

TERMS CASH. No deed will be acknowledged until the purchase money is paid in full.

HARRY HEMPHILL, High Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office,
Emporium, Pa., Sept. 21st, 1904.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of *alias Feri Facias* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas, of Cameron county, and to me directed, I have seized, levied upon and taken into execution and will expose to public sale and will sell to the highest and best bidder, at the Court House, in Emporium, Pa., on

Friday, 21st Day of Oct., A. D., 1904,
AT 2:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

The following described real estate to-wit:

All the defendant's interest, right, title and claim (being an undivided one-half, subject to widow's dower,) in and to all that certain tract or piece of land, situate in Gibson Township, Cameron County, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at black oak corner on bank of Bennett's Branch of Sinnemahoning Creek; thence by lands of (formerly) Levi Hicks, north, eighteen degrees, west, one hundred and eighty-one perches to a post; thence south, seventy eight degrees, west, one hundred and eighty-two perches to a post; thence south, twenty-five degrees, east, one hundred and eighty-two perches to the bank of Bennett's Branch of Sinnemahoning Creek; thence down the said creek, the several courses and distances thereof, to the place of beginning, containing two hundred acres, more or less, and being part of warrant No. 58, bearing date May 17th, 1785. Reserving and excepting therefrom four certain pieces of land (heretofore sold out of said two hundred acres,) described as follows:

Number One:—Three and one-half acres conveyed to Robert Rothrock (now Adam Hicks') as described in Deed recorded in said Cameron County in Deed Book "C," page 670.

Number Two:—An irregular piece of land conveyed to William Emery and R. C. Reading, as described in Deed recorded in said County in Deed Book "G," page 253.

Number Three:—Being a cemetery lot, containing one acre, more or less.

Number Four:—Forty acres, more or less, conveyed to John E. DuBois by Robert L. Hicks, et. al. by deed dated July 25th, 1904, and recorded in Elk County, Penn'a, where said forty acres are situate.

Excluding said four reservations and exceptions from said two hundred acres, there are on the remainder, two bearing orchards, three fair sized dwelling houses, two barns, fifty acres of woodland, the balance being cleared and in a fair state of cultivation.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of JOHN R. HICKS.

TERMS CASH. No deed will be acknowledged until purchase money is paid in full.

HARRY HEMPHILL, High Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office,
Emporium, Pa., Sept. 21st, 1904.

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BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT of *alias Feri Facias* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas, of Cameron county, Pa., and to me directed, I have seized, levied upon and taken into execution and will expose for sale to the highest and best bidder at public vendue or outcry, at the Court House, in Emporium, Cameron county, on

Friday, 21st Day of Oct. A. D., 1904,
AT 2:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

The following described real estate, to-wit:

All that certain undivided one-half interest in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Emporium, County of Cameron, and State of Pennsylvania, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Commencing at the northwest corner of lot No. 551 in Block No. 40, thence easterly along the south line of Fourth street fifty-two feet; thence southerly and parallel with the west line of lot No. 551 one hundred and forty feet; thence westerly and parallel with Fourth street fifty-two feet to the west line of lot No. 551; thence northerly along the west line of lot No. 541 one hundred and forty feet to the place of beginning, being parts of lots Nos. 551 and 552. Having erected thereon a well equipped Opera House, of the size of 48x138 feet, piped for natural gas and city water.

Seized and taken in execution and to be sold as the property of J. W. CLARKE at the suit of JOHN T HOWARD.

TERMS CASH. No deed will be acknowledged until the purchase money is paid in full.

HARRY HEMPHILL, High Sheriff,
Sheriff's Office,
Emporium, Pa., Sept. 21st, 1904.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a Red and White Spotted Steer came to the premises of Mrs. F. J. Russell, on the Portage, some time ago. The owner can have the same by proving property, paying $2.00 for this notice and cost of keeping said steer.

MRS. F. J. RUSSELL,
Emporium, Pa., Sept. 19th, 1904. 39-3t

Desertion Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that my wife, Ida King, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I hereby forbid any person or persons to trust or harbor her on my account, for I shall pay no bills of her contracting.

CHARLES KING.
Shippen, Pa., Aug. 31, 1904. 28-3t.

Administrators' Notice.

Estate of HARRISON LOGUE, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of Harrison Logue, late of Gibson township, Cameron county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all demands should be made and those indebted to said Estate to make payment.

D. S. LOGUE,
W. H. LOGUE.
Administrators.

F. D. LEET, Attorney.
Gibson, Pa., July 19, 1904. 28-6t

Dissolution Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Friendel & Hurteau, was this day dissolved by mutual consent—Jos. A. Friendel retiring. All monies due the late firm are payable to Geo. E. Hurteau, to whom all claims must be presented.

JOS. A. FRIENDEL,
GEO. E. HURTEAU,
Emporium, Pa., Aug. 25th, 1904.

The business of the late firm will be conducted by the undersigned under the firm name of Hurteau & Forbes.

GEO. E. HURTEAU.
28-3t ED. E. FORBES.

MASON HILL.

Mr. Ruben Jordan was in Huntley Saturday.

C. M. Bailey lost one of his horses last Friday.

Mrs. Martha Jordan was in Sterling last Friday.

Miss Maggie Farley and niece were in Emporium Tuesday.

School closed Thursday so all could attend the golden wedding.

Mr. Edward Johnson, of Dents Run, was buying fat cattle here last week.

Misses Viola Jordan and Daisy Cornell visited Sterling last Wednesday.

Mrs Will Carson, of St. Marys, is visiting at the home of J. O. Jordan.

Miss Ethel Barr, teacher of Castle Garden school, was home over Sunday.

Mr. Clarence Miller, of Huntley, visited his sister, Mrs. C. W. Williams, Sunday.

Messrs. Leslie Cornell and Simon Robar were at Emporium Saturday on business.

Messrs. Chas. Collins and Thos. Kailbourne of Huntley, drove over the Hill Sunday.

The event of the season was the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Marsh last Thursday.

Mr. Bernie Marsh returned to his work at Renovo last Friday after a two week's vacation.

The thrashing machine finished its work for this season and moved to Johnson Hill last week.

Mrs. Will Mix and two daughters returned to their home at DuBois Tuesday after a week's visit with relatives here.

Mr. B. J. Collins, of Huntley, was making a trip through the town last week looking after the interest of the schools.

A surprise party was given Mr. Simon Robar at the camp of Cornell & Robar, last Saturday evening. All report a good time.

Mr. Will Mix and family, of DuBois and the Misses Emma, Pearl and Nellie Marsh were visiting at Mrs. Alzina Barr's Sunday.

The little folks were all invited to Omer Ives' last Saturday to help his daughter, Miss Minnie, celebrate her fifth birthday.

Delbert Marsh, who came home to attend the golden wedding of his father and mother, returned to West Virginia Monday, where he is employed.

Mr. Ambrose Marsh returned to his home at Trout Run, Saturday. The remaining members of his family will visit a fortnight with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Susie Russell and son Roy, were down from Medix Run last week. They returned home Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. Sibley, who will make an extended visit with Mrs. Russell.

Burglars are getting quite conspicuous around here. On Monday they broke into Emory Hicks' house and Friday night into Clarence Miller's. They must be getting armed for all these people missed was guns and revolvers.

SY MES.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

Has world-wide fame for marvelous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment or balm for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Boils, Sores, Felons, Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions; infallible for Piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c by L. Taggart, Druggist.

For a bilious attack take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by Jno. E. Smith, Sterling Run.

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Peculiarity About Insurance.

When insurance companies grant insurance on life, they are particular to have the person examined by a doctor to ascertain if he is in sound health. They are most particular about the analysis of the urine for the diseases of the kidneys are the most fatal and so many people have diseased kidneys without knowing it. If there are any symptoms they are usually (even by doctors) attributed to some other cause. Thompson's Barosma is the safest remedy to take for it will do good whether you have kidney trouble or not. Thompson's Barosma gives rest to the nerves. For sale by R. C. Dodson.

The careful weather man lays a few predictions by for a rainy day.

A Terrible Case of Eczema.

San-Cura Ointment has no equal for Eczema. One year ago my face and neck were one mass of raw sores; the doctor said I had Eczema and Erysipelas. I had not slept for weeks, with itching, burning pain. It was terrible! The first night I used San-Cura Ointment, I slept all night for the first time in weeks, and in a short time was completely cured. Chas. Fay, Townsville, Pa. Druggists, 25c and 50c. For sale by R. C. Dodson.

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A Great Discovery.

Judging from the number of permanent cures that it has made Thompson's Barosma, Kidney and Liver Cure is the greatest discovery in medical science. Thompson's Barosma has made remarkable cures in kidney, liver, bladder, stomach and blood diseases, also palpitation of the heart and nervousness. It is purely vegetable and perfectly harmless. Just the remedy for young and old. Druggists. $1 per bottle. Six for $5. For sale by R. C. Dodson.

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Has Sold a Pile of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for more than twenty years and it has given entire satisfaction. I have sold a pile of it and can recommend it highly.—Joseph McElhiney, Linton, Iowa. You will find this remedy a good friend when troubled with a cough or cold. It always affords quick relief and is pleasant to take. For sale by L. Taggart.

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